

The indications are that it will be fair and cooler tonight, Saturday fair; fresh westerly winds.

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LOWELL MASS. FRIDAY MAY 1 1908

PRICE ONE CENT

E. F. SHEA'S LICENSE

Will Probably be Subject of Litigation

Col. James H. Carmichael, counsel for James McLaughlin, proprietor of Les Miserables bowling alleys in East Merrimack street, is to petition the court to annul liquor license granted to Edward F. Shea & Co., 73 East Merrimack street by the police board on the ground that part of said premises are within twenty-five feet of his property.

The original application made by Mr. Shea was for a location at both 73 and 77 East Merrimack street, but as 77 was less than 25 feet from the bowling alleys, with the consent of the city solicitor the No. 77 was eliminated and the board granted a license at No. 73. Now, however, Mr. McLaughlin claims that owing to the peculiar construction of the buildings a portion of the premises of No. 73 is within 25 feet of his premises.

The law which governs the matter is as follows: "Chapter 287, Section 15, Acts of 1906: If before the expiration of the ten days following the publication of the notice, as required by the preceding section, the owner of any real estate within twenty-five feet of the premises described in an application for a li-

cence to be exercised by a common victualer to sell liquors to be drunk on the premises notifies the licensing board in writing that he objects to the granting of the license, no license to sell intoxicating liquors to be drunk on said premises shall be granted, unless the applicant therefor shall, for the two years next preceding the date of his application, have held a license for the sale of intoxicating liquors upon said premises. If, after such objection has been filed, a license is granted to an applicant who has not held for the two years next preceding the date of his application a license to sell intoxicating liquors as a common victualer upon said premises, the owner of any such real estate may apply for a hearing to a police, district or municipal court or trial justice within whose jurisdiction the premises are situated; and said court or trial justice, if it appears that due notice was given by the said owner of his objection to the granting of such license, shall revoke the license and send notice thereof to the licensing board. A city or town in which such license has been so revoked shall refund to said licensee or his legal representatives the money expended by him for said license and his court fees and costs."

WORCESTER IS "DRY"

All Liquor in the City Was Drunk Up

WORCESTER, MAY 1.—Encouraged by the reduced prices, some thousands of the citizens of Worcester struggled valiantly yesterday to consume all the alcoholic fluid in the city. They had until 11 p. m. to perform the experiment, and judging by the appearance of the throngs on the streets, if there was defeat, it was an honorable one, since very effort had been made to drain the vats and barrels dry.

Worcester was in revelry on the last day of licensed liquor dispensing, for in many years has there been such an army of bibulous spirits pursuing the tortuous ways homeward as plodded wearily along the thoroughfares last night.

The city enjoyed a bacchanalian feast, with double and triple portions for one price in some instances, and everywhere plenty of that which stimulates and intoxicates.

The inebriated numbered so large a percentage of the homeward bound population after 11 p. m. that the police did not attempt to gather them in. Patrolmen were satisfied to leave them to go their devious ways to receive their punishment in the physical ills which are born of the morning after.

So indulgent were the police that only three arrests for drunkenness were made.

NOT MUCH LEFT TODAY.

Last night at 11 o'clock the resorts where liquor had been sold under licenses for 16 years were closed and today the city was dry. For at least a year the no-license law is to be enforced, and Worcester will for 12 months enjoy the reputation of being the largest city in the world under prohibitory license.

Worcester was closed with a fitting recognition of the significance of the impending long drought. After 8 p. m. few bartenders had time or the material for other than straight hard stuff and the malt beverages. It was "that or nothing," and the customers gladly took "that."

From early morning until the knell for parading with the ardent was sounded at 11 o'clock the saloons were crowded. Along Front and Mechanic streets, where there were establishments which up to 11 p. m. catered to all classes, the line in front of the salaried, amiable and urbane barkeepers was constantly five and six deep. Men leaned over the shoulders of their fellows in front to grasp the overflowing glasses, for the glasses were overflowing last night.

Many hundreds spent the evening downtown, not because of their own desire to be convivial, but to see what the last night of license was like. So or every 10 men who were drinking

Notice to the Public

To whom it may concern: Notice hereby given that the undersigned has sold and disposed of the business heretofore carried on by him at 223 Market street, Lowell, Mass., and this he retires therefrom.

All persons having bills due them here, or contracted in said business, and all persons owing bills therein are requested to present the same or make payments hereon to the undersigned.

JOHN LENNON.

Lowell, Mass., May 1, 1908.

long and deep there was one sober, contemplative individual.

NO EXCLUSIVENESS.

Worcester, like most cities, had its exclusive saloons, where a man whose trade was not invited would be charged more than the individual of more imposing appearance. But there was no exclusiveness last night. Bartenders were cheerfully supplying begrimed workmen when a month ago they would have haughtily looked over the heads of such customers in disdain.

The absorption of the fiery fluid was not confined to the saloons, for the full membership of all the leading clubs was present in the respective houses to participate in the closing wet night. At the Worcester club in Elm street it was termed a "wake." The old and young members of the most exclusive club in the city gathered to dispose of the supply. Every one had his choice at the evening from plain drinks to wine, but as the hours went by one fluid after another was eliminated as the monument of empyres grew higher and broader. Finally it was simply whiskey and beer, with plenty of takers. Nobody was fussy.

It had been announced that all liquor remaining untouched by 11 p. m. was to be poured into the street, but happily this extreme expedient was not necessary.

BOTTLED GOODS

Attempt to Catch the Hotels

A member of the Law and Order league is authority for the statement that the league is already investigating to ascertain whether or no the hotels will live up to the new requirements that they sell no bottled goods to take out and that a man was sent into several hotels this morning for the purpose of purchasing a half pint of liquor and he was refused.

MEAN THIEVES

STOLE ANOTHER OF WORKING BOYS' HOME BOXES.

The petty thieves who were operating in this city a few weeks ago stealing little tin boxes containing money for the Working Boys' Home in Boston are at work again and last night a box which was almost filled with coins was stolen from McCarthy's baker shop in Gorham street. It will be remembered that a short time ago two of these boxes were stolen from the Tower's corner drug store and one was stolen from Denis O'Brien's drug store in Bridge street.

CREW ESCAPED

THE SCHOONER VICTOR WENT TO PIECES.

BLOCK ISLAND, R. I., May 1.—Thirteen Portuguese fishermen from New Bedford, Mass., narrowly escaped death today when the fishing schooner Victor went to pieces on the south side of the breakwater at the entrance to the new harbor.

IN POLICE COURT DOG LICENSES

Drunks Are Unusually Scarce

THREE MEN IN FOR ASSAULT

One Had Used Brass Knuckles in a Fight

Up to noon there had not been one drunken offender arrested for a period of 36 hours. Judge Hadley was agreeably surprised this morning when he entered court at finding the dock empty.

The only case before the court was that of Michael and Shadole Hallala and Nicola Simon, charged with assault and battery on Asa Murad. With the assistance of an interpreter the complainant testified that while passing through Suffolk street about 9.30 o'clock the night before last he was set upon by three men. He said that Michael Hallala and Nicola Simon held him by the arms while Shadole Hallala gave him two blows on the head with brass knuckles.

Michael Azar said he saw the assault and that one of the defendants had brass knuckles on his hands. Dargan Farris and Joseph Hanna also corroborated the testimony offered by the complainant.

The defendant's story was a general denial. After summing up the evidence in the case, all three were found guilty. Shadole Hallala was fined \$15 and the other two were fined \$10 each.

CAMPBELL MISSING.

The case of William H. Campbell, charged with failing to provide proper support for his wife and minor child, was scheduled for a hearing today, was postponed till Monday, as Campbell was among the missing when his name was read.

Lobsters, 16 cents a pound, at the Tarpon, Saturday.

FUNERALS

DEMANGE.—The funeral of Mrs. Malvina Demange took place yesterday from her home, 124 Wannanell street. A solemn funeral mass was sung at St. Jean Baptiste church. Rev. Fr. Brullard, O. M. I., officiated, with Revs. Fr. Vial and Baron, O. M. I., as deacon and sub-deacon. Perreault's mass was sung by the choir under the direction of Dr. George E. Caisse, with Miss Alexander at the organ. The bearers were David Sabourin, Henry Norbert, Fred Ruschle, Joseph Fleming, Charles Sabourin and R. Brault. Among the floral tributes were a wreath from Walter L. Parker's employees; spray, Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Beauregard; wreath, Charles E. Leavitt; spray, Mr. and Mrs. Dimodana. Burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery. Rev. Fr. Ouellette, O. M. I., officiated at the grave. Undertaker Joseph Albert had charge.

LEBEL.—The funeral of Mrs. Sophie Lebel took place yesterday morning from her home, 115 Tucker street. Services were held at St. Jean Baptiste church. Rev. Fr. Brullard, O. M. I., officiated. The bearers were Napoleon Lebel, Joseph Duval, George Gagnon, J. B. Bousquet, Medeiros Clara Lebel, Julie Lebel, Mathilda Beauchene and F. Jacob represented St. Anne's sodality.

BURIAL.—The funeral of Mrs. Clara Bineau took place yesterday morning from her home, 104 Cashion street. Funeral services took place at St. Joseph church. Rev. Fr. Dubreuil, O. M. I., officiated. The bearers were Simeon Pinard, Hercule Gagnon, A. Richard, M. Dunn, C. Boudreau, Arthur Boudreau. Burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery. Rev. Fr. Ouellette, O. M. I., officiated at the grave. Undertaker Joseph Albert had charge.

MILLER.—The funeral of Miss Miller was held yesterday afternoon on the arrival of the body from Bangor, Me. Services were held at the Greek Orthodox church and burial was in the Edison cemetery. Undertaker Molloy & Sons had charge.

HEWITT.—The funeral of Henry Hewitt, son of Harry and the late Edna Hewitt, took place yesterday morning and was largely attended. Rev. Charles T. Billings was officiating clergyman. The body was sent to Cambridge, Mass., for burial, by Undertaker Weinbeck.

HALE.—The funeral of Charlotte L. Hale took place yesterday afternoon at the 245 train from Providence, R. I., and was largely attended. The bearers were William F. Carl, Arthur William, William Hale and Fred Hall. Rev. N. W. Matthews conducted the services at the grave. Interment was in the Edison cemetery, under the direction of J. A. Weinbeck.

Interest Begins

Saturday, May 2nd

SAVINGS DEPARTMENT.

TRADERS' NATIONAL BANK

Hours—8.30 a. m. to 3 p. m. Saturday, 8.30 to 12.30. Saturday evening, 7 to 9.

DOGS

Very Few Were Taken Out Today

Some said this was dog day at city hall and others said it was train-wreckers' day. An inquisitive reporter learned that some called it "dog day" because it was the first day for the taking out of dog licenses and he learned that others called it "train-wreckers' day" because it was pay and supply day for the janitors.

Up to noon today 25 dog licenses were taken out and Clerk McCarthy allowed that was pretty poor dog business for the first of May.

Speaking of the janitors and their pay and supply day another argument in favor of the city hall presents itself. It is very convenient for the janitors after receiving their pay to slip down stairs to the school supply room and get their brooms, brushes or whatever supplies they may need. Instead of being away from their schools for as long a time as would be required were the supply room and the city treasurer's office widely separated, as to distance, they can make a flying trip and get back to their schools at 11 a. m.

Nobly volle dress skirts at Chris. Holmes' sale, 198 and 200 Merrimack street.

DRIVEN ASHORE

Fishing Schooner Carried Crew of 14

BIDDEFORD POOL, Me., May 1.—The fishing schooner Margie Smith of Gloucester, Mass., Captain Freeman Brown and crew of 14 men, owned by the Gordon crew fishing Co., of Gloucester, went ashore in the harbor here early today. She was caught in a southeast squall and forced onto Stage Island. The crew took to the boats and got ashore in safety. The schooner was leaking but was not resting in very bad position. The Pool life savers went to their aid and an effort was made to get her off on the incoming tide.

WOMAN'S ARREST

REVEALS WEDDING THAT OCCURRED TWO YEARS AGO.

BOSTON, MAY 1.—The marriage of a Cambridge Freeman, Morris A. Skold, to a beautiful Creole girl became known yesterday morning when Mrs. Morris A. Skold pleaded guilty to disturbing the peace and was fined \$10 in the third district court, Cambridge.

The secret of two years was disclosed through fear on the part of the woman to give a false name. Although sworn to secrecy regarding her marriage the knowledge that a woman in the Boston courts recently received a sentence of two years for giving a false name so weighed upon the young wife that the secret was revealed.

Lobsters, 16 cents a pound, at the Tarpon, Saturday.

NEW WAGE SCALE

WENT INTO EFFECT IN QUARRIES AT CONCORD.

CONCORD, MAY 1.—The granite industry in this city started today upon a new bill of prices, substantially the same as at Barre, Vt., which will continue for three years. Committees from the manufacturers and the unions had been in conference for several days and reached a final agreement on Thursday so that there was no interruption of work today.

HONG KONG

TO BE VISITED BY THE BIG FLEET.

HONG KONG, MAY 1.—It was learned here today that the American government had accepted an invitation for the battleship fleet to visit Hong Kong on its way around the world.

COTTON FUTURES.

NEW YORK, May 1.—Cotton futures opened easy May 8 5/8; June 8 1/2; July 8 3/4; Aug. 8 1/2; Sept. 8 1/4; Oct. 8 3/4; Nov. 8 1/2; Dec. 8 3/4; Jan. 8 1/2; Feb. 8 1/4; March 8 1/2.

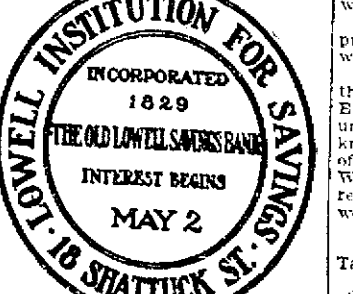
Cut price sale on silk raincoats, suits, jackets, skirts, etc., today and Saturday. Chris. Holmes, 198 and 200 Merrimack street.

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for a cripple to refuse crutches, as for you to postpone the use of glasses when they are indicated.

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RAVES FOR WIFE

Who is Held Up as An Alien

MAN IS IN AN ASYLUM

Woman Arrived on the Saxonia Yesterday

CHICAGO, MAY 1.—John Moulds is raving in the Dunning asylum and calls constantly for his wife who is detained at the immigration station in Boston because she is an alien and cannot show that she is able to support herself.

She arrived yesterday on the Saxonia in response to a cablegram from the Chicago police informing her of the condition of her husband who came to this country from England three years ago and went to work here. Moulds made good wages as an expert machinist and besides supporting his family of nine children in England, managed to save \$500. Four weeks ago he took his money out of the bank and bought a ticket for home. That night he was beaten and robbed. He never recovered from the assault and became insane and was sent to Dunning.

Not hearing from him, his wife became alarmed and communicated with the Chicago police. Working on her information they identified her husband and two weeks ago they cabled her of his condition. She took the next steamer for this country. Her pitiful story aroused the immigration authorities and at their own expense they wired her friends. If they can guarantee that she will not become a public charge she will be allowed to come to Chicago.

GONE TO JURY

No. Reading Case Finished This Noon

AFTER WHICH COURT ADJOURNED

Motion to Take From Jury Denied

The case of Willis vs. Boston & Northern street railway, a North Reading accident case, went to the jury at noon and court adjourned until Monday.

The evidence in the case was concluded last yesterday afternoon and the jury was excused to permit Lawyer Saltonstall, for the defence, to present a motion to take the case from the jury. Mr. Saltonstall argued that Willis was a pedestrian, and was not exercising due care. The court ruled that it was a case for the jury, and the arguments were made this forenoon.

JUDGE KING COMING.

When court reopens on Monday Judge King will occupy the bench, Judge Hardy having been called to another court. For that reason Judge Hardy adjourned court at noon today at the conclusion of the Willis case he could not finish Judge King appears in Lowell for the first time since his appointment to the bench.

Lobsters, 16 cents a pound, at the Tarpon, Saturday.

A RECEPTION

HELD AT RESIDENCE OF MR. FRANKLIN GUYETTE.

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Guyette, who were united in marriage last week at Bar Harbor, Me., held a reception last night at the residence of Mr. Franklin Guyette, the father of the former, at 250 Aiken avenue. A number of relatives and friends were present during the evening to congratulate the happy couple and an excellent evening was spent.

Mr. and Mrs. Guyette received in the parlor and they were assisted by Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Guyette, mother and father of the groom, and also Messrs. Walter E. and Frederick J. Guyette and Miss Ella M. Guyette.

An excellent supper was served about eight o'clock. Mr. Franklin Guyette having general supervision of the tables. She was ably assisted by Mrs. Jennie Elliott and a corps of efficient waitresses.

After supper a musical and literary program was carried out and games were enjoyed.

Mr. George H. Guyette is foreman of the H. P. Nason Constructing Co., of Boston, and was a resident of this city until about a year ago. He is well known and very popular, having a host of friends. Mrs. Guyette was Miss Winifred B. Kane and resided at Somerville, Me. The marriage took place a week ago Wednesday at Bar Harbor.

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George Hanley of New York is visiting his relatives at Quebec street, this city.

EX-PRES. CLEVELAND

Said to be Suffering From Cancer of the Stomach

NEW YORK, May 1.—The Evening World gives prominence today to the following: "There is a report current in financial circles emanating from the office of the Equitable Life Assurance Society, that former President Grover Cleveland is suffering from cancer of the stomach and that his case has been pronounced hopeless by specialists called into consultation by Dr. Joseph Bryant of this city, the family physician."

"Mr. Cleveland remains at the Lakewood hotel in Lakewood, N. J., although the house closed for the season ten days ago. His wife and children are the only other guests."

"A physician and nurses are in constant attendance and a small number of servants have been retained to look after the Cleveland family."

Efforts to confirm the Evening World's statement that Mr. Cleveland is suffering from cancer and that his condition is critical, are unavailing owing to the extreme reticence observed by all connected with the case since the beginning of the former president's illness.

GRANGE MEETING CHICAGO ROADS

Opened in Odd Fellows Hall Today

MORNING SESSION WAS EXECUTIVE

Mrs. S. M. Thompson Principal Speaker

The regular monthly meeting of Middlesex North Pomona Grange opened at Odd Fellows hall in Bridge street this forenoon. The forenoon session was an executive one, and the open meeting was begun at two o'clock.

Mrs. S. Mabel Thompson, lady assistant steward of the Massachusetts State Grange, was the speaker of the afternoon. Dinner which was served at the noon hour, was provided by the executive committee of the Pomona. Included in the afternoon's entertainment was a literary and musical program.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

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Reduce the eye strain and the wrinkles will disappear.

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CHelsea RELIEF

Plenty of Clothes and Shoes on Hand

Three dollars, two from James Reilly and one from a veteran have been added to the Chelsea relief fund at the city hall, bringing the total up to \$165.30.

The following letter which has to do with the subject of "Chelsea relief," is self explanatory:

Boston, April 26, 1908.

President of Boston & Northern St. Ry. Co., 84 State st., Boston, Mass.

Dear Sir: This committee is very grateful to you and your company for your assistance and activity in collecting and forwarding free of expense, clothing, bedding, etc. for the Chelsea fire sufferers.

The reply to our appeal for this kind of help has been so generous that we are satisfied that we have now in our warehouses all of the clothing and bedding, including boots and shoes, which it will be possible to use to advantage.

I am therefore instructed to ask you to remove the signs from your cars and to take such steps as you think wise to solicit further contributions which have come in in response to your appeal.

I am asked by my committee to express its sincere appreciation of the service which your road has rendered.

Yours truly,

(Signed) Edmund Billings, Executive Secretary.

IRISH LEAGUERS

ARE URGED TO SUPPORT WINSTON CHURCHILL.

DUNDEE, May 1.—Winston Spencer Churchill, president of the board of trade, whose recent failure to be returned to parliament from the eighth west division of Manchester has forced him to seek a "by-election," arrived here today to contest the vacancy caused by the elevation to the peerage of Edmund Robertson. Churchill has a well organized opposition to fight, but it will require a big turn over of votes to defeat him. The Irishist candidate, Sir George Baxter, has a powerful local influence and the labor candidate, C. H. Stuart, while a novelty in this country, is an out and out prohibitionist. E. Smythson of the United Irish League, is urging the Irish voters to give their complete support to Mr. Churchill on the ground that Premier Asquith has adopted Mr. Churchill's pledges at Manchester regarding home rule for Ireland as representing the policy of the government.

BISHOP POTTER IMPROVED.

NEW YORK, May 1.—The condition of the Right Rev. Henry C. Potter, Protestant Episcopal bishop of New York, who has been suffering from a result of a general rheumatoid

Interest Begins Saturday, May 2

—AT—

The Central Savings Bank

58 CENTRAL ST.

Deposits - \$4,729,514.53

Surplus - \$263,557.87

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Ennell Bldg.

JOYCE LICENSE

Is Still Held in the Balance

HEARING HELD YESTERDAY

F. T. Callahan Relinquishes License

A hearing on the application of the Charles H. Joyce Co. for a first and fourth class common victualler and retail dealers' license was held by the police board behind closed doors yesterday afternoon. At the conclusion of the hearing the board announced that no decisive action had been taken.

J. P. McCauley, representing the Joy Co. Distilling company, argued against the granting of the license as did William A. Hogan, representing a Baltimore concern. Francis W. Qua, representing the Star Brewing company, of Boston, appeared in favor of granting the

license. Mr. Joyce was represented by Lawyer Thomas J. Burright. The Washington tavern license was taken out shortly after three o'clock in the afternoon and it was about 5:30 o'clock when John J. McLaughlin took out the Waverly hotel license.

Francis T. Callahan and James Gay, Jr., of Francis T. Callahan & Co., who secured a license at 175 Lakeview avenue and 1 and 2 Columbia street, appeared before the board and said that they did not wish to take out the license that had been granted to them. The board voted to rescind the vote whereby such license was granted and the board voted unanimously to grant a license to Patrick F. Cox and Sally D. Cox, Cox & Co., 237-243 Adams street and 21 Cross street.

The Meridian house license was laid on the table.

THE PIPER CLUB

GAVE FINE ENTERTAINMENT AT ODD FELLOWS HALL

The members of the Piper club of the First Presbyterian church presented "The Concertina Song" a very pleasing entertainment at Odd Fellows hall, Middlesex street, last night. The affair was under the auspices of Lowell ladies of P. O. and was well attended. Twenty-five B. B. Smith was pianist and assisted the entertainment. The program was as follows: Opening chorus, "Hail Shalimar" by the skule; solo and chorus, "Gypsy Jodelin"; Miss Olive Phelan song, "Mama, My Own Love"; Mr. Lord, Harry, chorus, "My Old Kentucky Home"; by the skule; reading, "When I Was a Little Girl"; Miss Phelan's reading, solo and chorus, "The Old Joe"; Mr. John McLaughlin; reading, "Three Blind Mice" by the skule; reading, "The Little Woman"; Miss Nettie Campbell song, "Jack and Jill"; Miss Sadie Wilson; trio, "Ye Shepherds, Tell Me"; Messrs. Mohr, Houston and McLaughlin; song, "Yankee Doodle Dandy"; Messrs. Thomas, Rodgers; song, "It's Good Enough for Washington, It's Good Enough for Me"; Mr. Geo. T. McElroy; solo and chorus, "Our Jack's Coming Home Today"; Mr. Robert T. Houston; song, "My Grandma's Advice"; Mrs. Jeanie Rodgers; reading, "The Merry Widow"; Miss Maid Harris; duet, "Heaven and Earth"; Miss Charlotte Mary Haysell and Master Herbert Burns; song, "The Bells of the Mayor of Dracut on the Sweet Bye and Bye"; Mr. Wm. D. Leggett; reading, "A Young Woman"; At 9:25 general dancing was started and continued until midnight. Peace & Griffin's orchestra, furnishing the music. The officers of the affair were: Joseph Blending, assistant; Frederick Conroy, secretary; George F. Swann, treasurer. The dance committee consisted of Joseph Blending, door director; Frederick Conroy, assistant door director; adds, Philip Pollard, Edward Smith, John Usher and Sydney Bowen.

The ushers were: Captain Charles Peters, First Lieut. Harry Bowen, Second Lieut. John Usher, Dr. Edwin Lane, Lester D. Mason, Martin Cohen and Joseph Leman.

Cut price sale on silk raincoats, suits, jackets, shirts, etc., today and Saturday. Chris. Holmes, 128 and 200 Merrimack street.

SCORES DIVORCE

Cardinal Logue Speaks Strongly on Subject

NEW YORK, May 1.—Divorce was scored by Cardinal Logue of Ireland yesterday in an address given in connection with the centenary celebration of the New York diocese.

"Never can the Catholic church yield on the divorce question," he said, speaking before the laity in Carnegie hall.

"This position of the church is the great safeguard for the republic, for it is necessary to stick to these principles in order to secure the sanctity and the integrity of the family."

PROSPERITY DANGEROUS

"What I am to say," he continued, "is not meant in any spirit of criticism, I hope that you will believe, but there is danger that so much prosperity might in some way corrupt the people of America, and the antidote to that poison could well be found in the following of the principles of the Catholic religion. I am informed that in different states there are differing laws on divorce."

Then Cardinal Logue paid a tribute to America, saying:

"I have always had a great admiration for this wonderful republic of the west. It has been the haven of hope for those of my race whom want has driven from the land of their birth."

"I see your devotion to your church in the great outpourings that have sanctified this week of celebration. I see it in the magnificent temple you have reared to the memory of him who gave the faith to Ireland."

"I see it in a dozen different ways. And it would be well if those among us on the other side of the water who have grown lukewarm, or lacking in zeal, from time to time could make a pilgrimage to this land of promise and imbibe some of the enthusiasm of your priests and of your laity."

Sale on ladies' and misses' suits today and Saturday. Chris. Holmes, 128 and 200 Merrimack street.

ASKS DIVORCE

MAN NAMES HIS COACHMAN AS CORRESPONDENT

NEW YORK, May 1.—His wife's excessive interest in their colored coachman is Henry Johnson Lord's reason for bringing action against his wife for divorce.

The coachman, Harry Cameron, is named as correspondent.

Mr. Lord is wealthy, has a big country place in Chicago, another in Montreal, and owns a stock farm near Kansas City, Mo.

Mrs. Lord is a beautiful Southern girl, Ernestine Emmanuel, one of the famous Episcopal family of Virginia. The petition's side of the action was filed yesterday afternoon in the superior court before Justice Robinson. Mrs. Lord denies the allegations.

THE BIG SHOP

STILL FURTHER REDUCES TIME SCHEDULE

The Lowell Machine shop is running on a 36-hour a week schedule. Up to day and Saturday, Chris. Holmes, this week the big shop had been run—128 and 200 Merrimack street.

ing five days a week, but from now on the employees, what's left of them, will quit on Thursday and will not return to work again until Monday.

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Seasonable Clothing On Credit

THERE'S NO BETTER WAY of providing for your clothing needs than by the use of our Credit System.

The high quality of the goods, the low prices asked, combined with the privilege of paying in small weekly payments make it the only sensible way to buy.

WHY NOT OPEN YOUR ACCOUNT TODAY?

MEN'S SPRING SUITS	\$10 to \$27	LADIES' TAILORED SUITS,	\$10.50 to \$30
MEN'S TOP COATS,	\$9 to \$22	TRIMMED HATS,	\$1.98 to \$15

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A Record At the Talbot Store—

A Record We are Proud of—

March and April 1908 Showed An Increase Over March and April 1907

WE are proud of our record—but push and bargains did it. We are giving more for the money than any other clothing store in Massachusetts—What other clothing store shows such a record? We don't believe another in New England. We've advertised freely and we have sold goods cheap, but the result is most pleasing.

Read These Values Carefully,
Then Read Them Again---'Twill Pay

The Gold Bond Suit

The greatest suit in the world for the money—warranted fast color, all wool and worsted—not a thread of cotton in it—it will hold free from any cotton or shoddy—strongly and serviceably made.

We sell these suits and deliver each purchaser a GOLD BOND agreeing to give a new suit or twelve dollars and fifty cents in gold, to any purchaser of our Gold Bond Suit whose purchase does not prove as warranted, upon return of said suit with the Gold Bond (properly dated) before Aug. 1, 1908.

The Gold Bond Suit. A \$20 Suit for the low price of **\$12.50**

All Sizes, 34 to 50 Breast. Regulars, Stouts and Longs.

The Glengarriff Blue Serge Brown Fancy Worsted Suits

The Glengarriff Blue Serge—A fabric made to our order by a leading mill. The Glengarriff Serge Suit is equal to any twenty dollar serge sold in New England. We have decided to do the blue serge business of Lowell. We have had this Glengarriff Serge made for us, and have had the suits produced on the newest Single Breasted and Double Breasted models. They are carefully made and properly trimmed, and are equal to any twenty dollar blue serge suit ever sold in Lowell. Ask for the Glengarriff Blue Serge.

The Glengarriff Blue Serge—A \$20 Serge Suit for **\$14.75**

All Sizes, 34 to 50 Breast. Regulars, Stouts and Longs.

The sensational suit bargain of the season—The suits that have set all Lowell talking—The suits have brought hundreds of new customers to our store. Every week the sale increases, every week we buy new lots to take the place of those sold out. This week we have several new lots, new browns, new patterns, new colorings, strictly all wool worsteds, finely made and trimmed, the same class of goods that are being shown about town at \$15 and \$18—And they are worth it—Ask for our new special brown suits.

New Brown Worsted Suits, in several patterns. A \$15 Worsted Suit for **\$9.75**

Fine Spring Suits The cream of this year's production, superb tailoring, the latest correct styles in men's and young men's models. The finest from Hart, Schaffner & Marx and our own workrooms. Suits that will compare with the best custom tailor work, at **\$20, \$22, \$25, \$28**

New Spring Suits A large and attractive line of medium priced suits in dark blue serge, plain black and the new fancy mixtures in the latest colorings—Suits that are carefully made and have all the style and character of the higher priced lines. Suits that we recommend and stand back of, at **\$10, \$12, \$15, \$18**

SUMMER SHIRTS

Eagle Shirts in the new summer cloths and patterns, neat Black and White dots, checks and stripes, separate cuffs or cuffs attached. Madras and percales, the best values at **\$1 Each**

High Grade Shirts in Madras, Percales and soisette, a big line of new colors and patterns at **\$1.50 and \$2.00**

Men's Soft Shirts with attached collars in Madras, Twills, Flannels and Soisette. White, Cream, Drab and Blue **\$1, \$1.50 and \$2**

Men's White Shirts cuffs separate or attached, plain or plaited fronts, fine madras in a variety of weaves at **\$1 and \$1.50**

Boys' Shirts in percales—neat patterns at **45c, 50c, 75c**

Working Shirts with collars on or plain neckband. A variety of patterns at **50c**

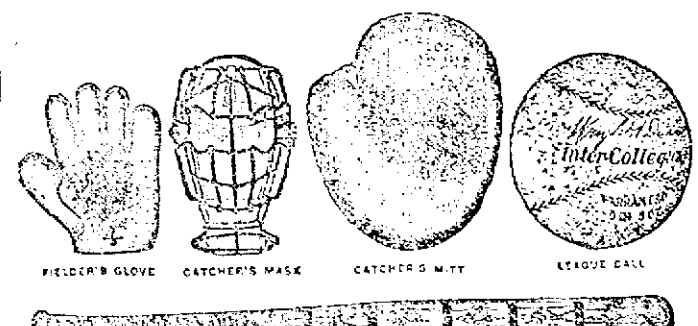
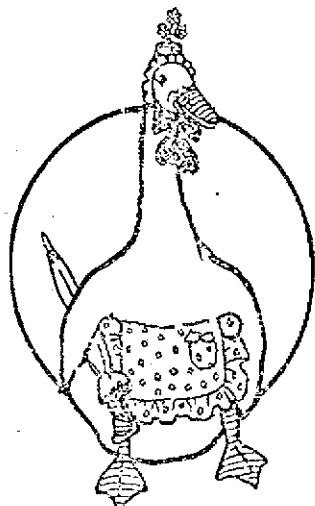
CHILDREN'S DEPARTMENT

We are doing an enormous business in children's clothes—We are sweeping Lowell with values and the baseball proposition we are offering.

RUSSIAN BLOUSE SUITS **\$2.50, \$3.50, \$3.75, \$5, \$6 and \$7**
SAILOR SUITS **\$2.50, \$3.50, \$3.75, \$5, \$6 and \$7**
KNEE PANT SUITS **\$2.50, \$3.50, \$4, \$5, \$6 and \$7**

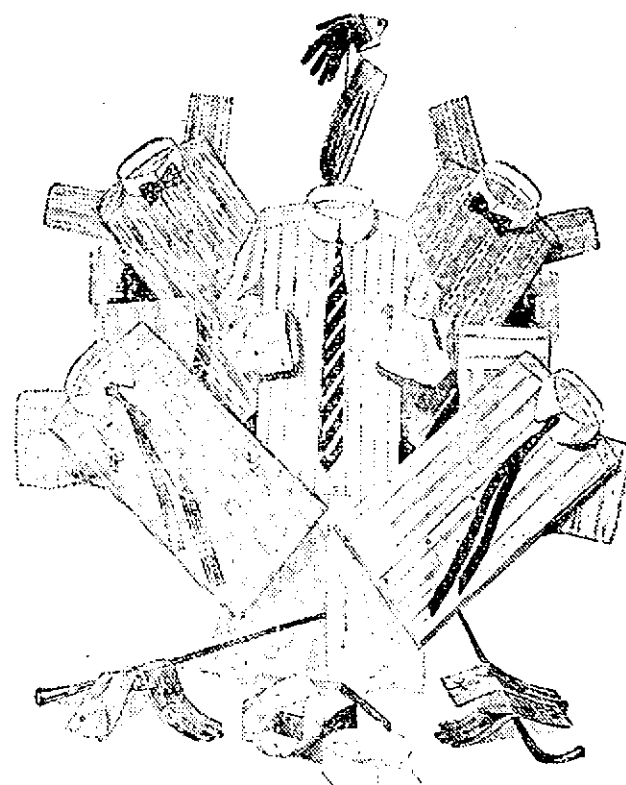
KNICKERBOCKER SUITS—With or Without Belt, **\$3, \$3.50, \$3.75, \$5, \$6, \$7, \$8, \$9, \$10, \$12**
JUVENILE REEFERS AND TOP COATS

To our boy friends buying here: We present each purchaser of \$3.50 or upwards in our boys' department a Bat, Ball, Glove or Mitt, with their purchase of \$5 or over and \$100 or more of a heavy wire catcher's mask.



We Will Send on Application, Free, Our Mother Goose Folders.

ASH BAT



The Talbot Clothing Co.

American House Block Central St.
"The Store That's Light As Day."

AFTER RAILROADS

Pres. Roosevelt Urges an Examination of Their Books

WASHINGTON, April 30.—President Roosevelt today sent for Reps. Hepburn, Townsend of Michigan, Campbell of Kansas and Sulzer of New York and urged them to make vigorous efforts to secure a large appropriation for the study of the books of the country to determine whether they are complying with section 29 of the Hepburn railroad rate law providing that a system of uniform accounts must be kept at once.

MAINE "REPUBS" LICENSE BOARD

Believed to be in Taft Column

PORTLAND, Me., April 30.—An unusually large number of delegates were here today to participate in the republican state convention in the Auditorium at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon and time four delegates at large and four delegates to the republican national convention at Chicago to nominate a candidate for president and vice president, also to name six presidential electors to cast Maine's ballot in the electoral college for the nominees of the Chicago convention.

Delegates also came here for the first district republican convention at 10 o'clock to nominate a candidate for congress and two district delegates and two alternates.

There was to be no contest for delegates at large, Col. Thomas P. Shaw of Portland, Edward P. Bicker of Portland and John P. Hill of Augusta and Judge Charles J. Dunn of Orono for days having been considered the undoubted choice of the convention. For alternates and electors only one or two names had been mentioned early today.

The state committee after a session lasting until midnight concluded to leave the preparation of the resolutions to the committee to be appointed by the convention.

E. P. Brown of New York who has been working in this state in the interest of Hughes and who came to town last night with 100 delegates claimed to be pledged to defeat any attempt to instruct for Taft, said his fight would be purely for an instructed delegation.

A strong union commanding Taft was urged on the floor of the convention. It was thought probable that it would be presented on the floor of the convention.

The alternates and the presidential electors virtually were agreed upon at once as follows:

Alternates—Robert McArthur, Biddeford; Fred O. Smith, New Vineyard; R. A. Haggerty, Ellsworth; and G. H. Smith, Presque Isle.

Electors—Charles H. Randall, Portland; Virgil R. Connor, Fairfield; Benjamin F. Cleaves, Biddeford; Luther P. Maddocks, Boothbay Harbor; Henry W. Sargent, Sedgewick; and Hugh R. Chaplin, Bangor.

The secretaries selected for the convention were Everett B. Norton of Farmington; Harry M. Bigelow, Portland; Frank H. Tupper, Bangor; Orlando Irish, Hartford; Edwin E. Swombly, York Harbor; Oliver L. Hall, Bangor; Col. Elliott C. Dill, Portland; and Sam E. Connor, Lewiston.

DECLARED FOR TAFT.

PORTLAND, Me., April 30.—The first district republican convention today nominated Amos Allen to succeed himself as congressman and selected two instructed delegates and alternates to the republican national convention. The re-nomination of Congressman Allen was made unanimous on motion of Walter C. Emerson who had been an active candidate for the position but whose name was not presented to the convention. Resolutions supporting W. H. Taft in his candidacy for president and stating the belief of the convention that he should be nominated were adopted.

The delegates and alternates selected were Horace Mitchell of Ellery and Richard W. Webb of Portland, delegates; Richard H. L. Ingersoll of Biddeford and Arthur H. Moulton of Portland, alternates.

VREELAND BILL

BUT THREE VOTES IN SUPPORT OF MEASURE.

WASHINGTON, April 30.—The House committee on banking and currency held a brief meeting today but declined to proceed for the purpose of taking up the new Vreeland currency bill. The vote for adjournment stood 12 to 2. The negative vote being cast by Messrs. Burton, Weeks and McKim. The measure is supposed to represent the negative vote of the new bill and it is believed that that measure will be taken as was the first Vreeland bill if it ever reaches a vote in committee.

ELECTED PRESIDENT.

DETROIT, Mich., April 30.—President-elect H. H. Taft was elected at the national republican convention at Chicago, Ill., today. He was elected by a vote of 202 to 155 against William Howard Taft, who was elected by a vote of 155 to 100. The vote was taken after a long and bitter fight. The election of Taft was a surprise to many observers, who had expected that Woodrow Wilson would be elected.

REV. GEO. BLISS

LEADS IN CONTEST FOR LATE BISHOP COLUMAN'S PLACE.

DENVER, Colo., April 30.—The contest for the late Bishop Columan's place in the diocese of Denver is still in progress. Rev. George Bliss is leading in the contest, but he has many opponents. The contest is expected to continue for some time.

LICENSE BOARD

Refused to Grant Pony Express Licenses

WORCESTER, April 30.—The licensing board today declined to grant pony express licenses rejecting the applications of the Palmer, Marlboro and Worcester express and the Inter-city Express Co., which had been organized to traffic in liquor after the no-license regime goes into effect tomorrow. Licenses were granted only to the long established express companies. The action is taken to indicate a determination of the board to carry out so far as is reasonable the vote of December last when Worcester entered the no-license column for the first time in 16 years. After 11 o'clock tonight Worcester will have the undisturbed distinction of being the largest no-license city in the United States.

THE SENATE

TOOK UP THE AGRICULTURAL APPROPRIATION BILL.

WASHINGTON, April 30.—The agricultural appropriation bill was taken up in the senate today. Senator Teller announced that there were some things in the bill that he desired to attack before it comes to its final reading.

EXCISE BOARD

ISSUED 33 LIQUOR LICENSES IN BOSTON.

BOSTON, April 30.—The excise board of this city issued today 33 liquor licenses for the coming year, a reduction of eleven from last year. The board has also held up 26 doubtful licenses in order to investigate charges of cocaine selling and too free sales of liquor.

8 HOUR DAY

DEMONSTRATION TO BE HELD IN PARIS TOMORROW.

PARIS, April 30.—Although the General Federation of Labor has summoned the socialist workmen and trade unionists of all classes to quit work tomorrow to participate in meetings in favor of an eight-hour day, the May day demonstration in Paris promises to be less impressive this year than usual. Troops will be stationed at the various rallying places of the workmen to prevent disorder.

SEVERAL EXPERTS

ARE TRYING TO WIN THE \$2000 PRIZE.

PARIS, April 30.—Henry Farman, M. De Lagrange, M. Bleriot and other aeroplane experts, are making daily experiments at Issy, near Paris, in an effort to break each others records and to win the prize of \$2000 offered to the first machine that will remain in the air for fifteen minutes.

SNOW IN ROCHESTER.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., April 30.—Snow fell in Rochester and vicinity for a short time this morning, later turning to rain.

BANK CLOSED

BY ORDER OF STATE BANK EXAMINER.

CAYATGA, Ind., April 30.—The private bank of Malone & Son was today closed by order of State Bank Examiner Camp and will remain in his hands until a receiver is appointed. Mr. Camp says there is a shortage of about \$25,000. The bank was capitalized at \$100,000 and had deposits of \$25,000.

200 DELEGATES

AT NATIONAL CONGRESS OF THE S. A. R.

BUFFALO, N. Y., April 30.—The national congress of the Sons of the American Revolution, a large body of delegates representing branches of the organization in nearly every state in the union present.

BOSTON COPPER MARKET.

BOSTON, April 30.—Local copper were advanced today and prices advanced after the opening. At noon the standard delivery was still in even.

F. W. MILLS

Banker and Broker

Room 33, Hildreth Building

THE SEWER QUESTION

THE WARREN CO. Of Warrenville Pleads for a Sewerage System

The people of Lowell owe something to the Warren company which was promised \$500 by the board of trade and received but about one-third of that amount. Mr. Warren says he does not intend to spend another dollar in improving Warrenville until the city runs a sewer through that district.

He holds that the difficulties of constructing a sewer for that territory are being magnified by men who in years past wanted sewers as he does now and had no matter what they did. Now these men are planning against providing sewerage in the annexed district although the city will have to build a sewer there in the near future. Could there be a better time to start sewer work when so many men are looking for work? Let the sewer problem be solved by the city engineers, not by a few selfish property owners who would starve the people of progress and deny to others the privileges long ago extended to themselves, for the sole reason that they are afraid there might be some increase in the tax rate.

LOWELL MAN DESERTED.

John Henry Lockhart of this city has been declared a deserter by Captain R. F. Nicholson of the U. S. S. Nebraska. Mayor Farham today received a communication from the new naval station at Bremerton, Wash., advising his Honor of the fact that Lockhart had been declared a deserter April 15.

FATHER MISSING

WOMAN ASKS POLICE TO LOOK FOR HIM.

Mary E. Henry of M. S. Snaps, N. H., has asked Superintendent Moffatt to locate her father whom she has not heard from in five years. The last time she heard from him he resided in Centralville, this city.

Sup. Moffatt has set the machinery of the police at work and the New Hampshire woman will undoubtedly hear from her father before many days.

MISS LOWNEY

ENTERS UPON NEW DUTIES AT STATE HOUSE.

Miss May E. P. Lowney, the well known young teacher in the public schools, who was appointed recently to a lucrative position in the office of the state board of charities at the state house in Boston, has entered upon her new duties. Miss Lowney is a well known young lady whose deserved success is quite generally acknowledged.

Miss Lowney is assigned to the department of minor wards, and is pleased with her new field of endeavor.

FUNERALS

FLYNN.—The funeral of the late John J. Flynn took place this morning at 9:30 from his home, No. 213 Fletcher street, and was largely attended by sorrowing friends and relatives. The cortege proceeded to St. Patrick's church, where at 9 o'clock a mass of requiem was celebrated. Rev. John McHugh officiating. The choir, under the direction of Mr. John Kelly, sang Schmidt's mass; at the offertory Miss Alice Murphy sang "The Jesus," and at the conclusion "Face to Face" was rendered by Andrew McCarthy. As the remains were borne from the church the choir sang "The Profundus." Mr. Kelly presiding at the organ. Among the many beautiful floral tributes were: A mammoth pillow inscribed "Brother," from the family; large wreath from Aunt Mary; wreath from Mrs. Bourke and family, and a wreath from the millinery department of the Bon Marche. The bearers were Walter and John Flynn, John Crowley, Joseph Keyes, Joseph Dodge and Jeremiah Daly. At the grave Rev. John McHugh read the committal prayers and the burial was in the Catholic cemetery. Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons in charge.

MULVEY.—The funeral of the late Patrick Mulvey took place this morning at 10:30 from the home of his son, Joseph Mulvey, 53 Fulton St., and was largely attended. The bearers were Arthur, John and Thomas O'Hare, and Fred Mulvey, all nephews of the deceased. The burial was in the Catholic cemetery. At the grave, Rev. Eugene Carney of St. Michael's church, read the committal prayers. The funeral was in charge of Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

OLD WASHINGTON

WAS GRANTED A LICENSE THIS AFTERNOON.

The police board met this afternoon and unanimously voted to grant the Washington Tavern a hotel license. This license had been held by John Rowe, the former Irish champion, in the fourth round. The license was \$100 and there was a \$100 fine.

BILL SQUIRES

KNOCKED OUT JEM ROOMIE IN FOURTH ROUND.

DUBLIN, April 30.—In a close contest held today, Bill Squires of Australia knocked out Jem Roomie, the former Irish champion, in the fourth round. The prize was \$100 and there was a \$100 fine.

GONE TO PARIS

TO PURCHASE WEDDING TROUSERS FOR BRIDE.

LONDON, April 30.—Miss Whitehead, wife of the American ambassador, accompanied by her daughter, Miss Jane Whitehead, was announced yesterday, left today for Paris to purchase a wedding dress for her daughter.

CONGRATULATED BY HUGHES.

NIAGARA FALLS, N. Y., April 30.—W. C. Waller, republican nominee for senator from the 4th district, has just received from Gov. Hughes a telegram of congratulation for the nomination.

DIAMOND GIFTS

Bridal Couple Give Costly Favors

The marriage of Mr. Herbert L. Bisbee, the well-known member of the Bigelow Carpet company, and Miss Mary A. Golden, a popular resident of Centralville, took place yesterday afternoon at the parochial residence of St. Michael's church, the groom embracing the bride prior to the happy event. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Fr. Carney. The bride was attended by Miss Margaret Gallagher, a life-long friend, and the best man was Mr. Henry Sullivan. The bride was becomingly attired in a beautiful embroidered gown of London silk with Duchess lace trimmings and she wore a picture hat to match with pink trimmings. The bride's hair was pinned up in gray braids with silk and lace trimmings and a black picture hat. After the ceremony the bride and groom repaired to the home of the bride at 37 West Fifth street, where a reception was held. Immediate friends. A sumptuous repast was served by the Page company. Mr. and Mrs. Bisbee left on the late train on their honeymoon, which will be enjoyed in New York and Niagara and their return they will reside at 37 West Fifth street. The happy couple were the recipients of many beautiful gifts and were most lavish in their choice of favors for the attending couple. The bride's maid received a beautiful diamond ring and the best man a diamond stick pin. The groom's gift to the bride was an exquisite sunburst of diamonds valued at \$1000.

DYNAMITE USED

Among the Fire Ruins at Chelsea

BOSTON, April 30.—Several heavy explosions among the ruins at Chelsea yesterday afternoon shook the city, and the reports were heard in many surrounding cities and towns, including Boston.

The dynamiting of what was left of the walls of several churches and school buildings took place at 1.5 and 6 o'clock and attracted the attention of hundreds of people.

A large section of the standing brick walls of the Central Congregational church, corner of Fifth and Chestnut streets, within 100 yards of Broadway, was dynamited about 6 p.m. A detail of police kept everyone from approaching within 50 or 100 feet of the church ruins when the powerful charge of dynamite was set off.

As it was, pieces of brick were hurled more than 200 feet in every direction and a great cloud of smoke and dust arose that hid everything from view.

Other buildings dynamited yesterday afternoon were the Williams school, the Highland school, and the old First Universalist church. The walls of several other buildings that stand threateningly over certain streets will be dynamited today.

HORSE STOLEN

FROM HIAWATHA

MRS. LANE'S CLASS GAVE NOVEL ENTERTAINMENT.

An entertainment consisting of a lantern slide lecture on "Hiawatha" was given at the First Universalist church last night by the members of Mrs. Lane's class. Those who took part in the entertainment were Misses: Indian in costume and the attendance numbered about 20. The cost of the entertainment was \$100.

\$60,000,000 A YEAR

Paper Trust Planned to Increase Its Profits

WASHINGTON, April 30.—Individual newspaper publishers were present today before the house committee which is investigating the price of news print paper, prepared to give testimony in the case. Before they were heard, however, John Rogers of New York, representing the American Newspaper Publishers' association, was permitted to continue his presentation of facts which was begun Saturday last. In response to a request by Chairman Mann, Mr. Rogers said before the committee various circular letters which had been issued at different times by the association on the price of news print paper copies of which had been mailed to President Roosevelt and others.

Mr. Mann put into the record letters received by him from the International Brotherhood of Pulp Sulphur Paper Millworkers and Director North of the census bureau and also telegrams from David S. Cowles, president of the American Paper & Pulp association asking the opportunity to be heard. Both Mr. North and Mr. Cowles stated that they desired to deny certain statements made by the Publishers' association.

"Do you claim as a matter of fact," Mr. Mann asked, "that the statement in Mr. Rogers' letter of March 4, 1908, to President Roosevelt in which he said that there was practically a combination to put an additional burden of \$60,000,000 per annum upon the printing and publishing interests of the country, is true?"

"Yes, sir," the witness responded and answering a further question, said that the news print paper represented the great bulk of the paper trade.

"You don't believe that bottling paper or wrapping paper is printing and publishing paper, do you?" asked Mr. Mann.

The witness said that he did so regard them.

"How about wall paper?" Mr. Mann replied that it was intended to include all consumers in the advance and he put the question to Mr. Mann if he thought it material whether the \$60,000,000 increase planned was confined to the printing or publishing or confined to paper consumers.

"I think it is extremely material," Mr. Mann replied, "as to whether this \$60,000,000 burden is on one thing or everything in the United States."

Mr. Rogers said that it related to papermakers who are in combination in such ways that the taking of their machines off of one kind of paper and putting them on another affects the whole business it was a factor to be considered.

Mr. Mann remarked that the witness had been directed to cover the whole subject of paper, whereas, "all

that had been said was confined to the printing and publishing interests and thereby absolutely misleading—yes, indeed myself."

Mr. Mann said he was horrified when one of his newspaper friends wrote him that his paper bill would be increased and that \$60,000,000 would be added to the printing and publishing business in one year. Mr. Mann added:

"My friend got that information from Mr. Rogers' letter and accepted it as an absolutely truthful fact. Of course we don't hold you responsible for Mr. Rogers' letter."

Questioned by the chairman regarding the statement contained in Mr. Rogers' letter, Mr. Rogers said that to the extent that the manufacturers had restricted the business merely to the printing and publishing interests, that was inaccurate, "but," he said, "to the extent that they planned an additional burden of \$60,000,000 on paper consumers, it is entirely accurate so far as a fair estimate could be made of that situation."

Mr. Rogers temporarily was excused and Gen. Felix Agnus, publisher of the Baltimore American, took the stand. He testified that under a contract with the International Paper Co. he had been paying since Jan. 1, 1904, \$2.50 per hundred pounds for print paper. Previously to that date he said he paid \$1.50, the increase being \$1.00 a ton. The price of \$1.50 he paid for two years. From 1901 to 1904 under a five year contract with the Great Northern Co. he paid \$2 a hundred. Jan. 1, 1906, he changed to the International Co. and got the price of \$1.50 for two years till Dec. 31, 1907, when he made a new contract with the same company for one year at \$2.50.

"The sudden rise," he said, "was somewhat astonishing to me and we did the best we could to secure other terms from other companies." He read a letter from the Berlin company saying that company had more than plenty of paper to meet the demand for 1908, but, "the communication continued, 'due consideration on the circumstances afore said we decline to even consider a contract with the American.'"

Gen. Agnus said he could hardly believe the style of the letter. "It was merely a shift," he said, "to satisfy his own conscience." He made up his mind, he said, that there was something in the wind. He applied to the Vermont mills and was told the supply was all being spoken for. That mill had been soliciting his business from time to time, he said, "but all of a sudden it stopped." He was satisfied from this, he declared, that the papermakers had combined.

A recess was taken at this point.

MURDER CHARGE MONEY WASTED

Has Been Made Against Bacheman

Boston Lost \$650,000 in Twelve Years

BOSTON, May 1.—The Good Government association made public a statement today charging that the city had wasted more than \$650,000 annually for the past twelve years in sewer construction through poor business methods and recommending that the department be taken out of politics. The statement was issued as the result of an examination occupying many months by a committee of civil engineers engaged by the association.

SEVERAL INJURED

PASSENGER TRAINS IN COLLISION NEAR CLEVELAND.

CLEVELAND, May 1.—A head-on passenger train collision on the Erie road, which left this city shortly after 6 o'clock yesterday afternoon for New York, ran into a siding a mile from the Cleveland station and dashed by a westbound passenger train, which was waiting for number 5 to pass. No one was killed, but several persons received serious injuries.

As the New York train came up to the point where the westbound train was waiting on siding, an unknown man threw the switch, causing the collision. The collision occurred at 6:15 p.m. A terrible crash followed. Several cars and two engines were badly wrecked. The man who threw the switch was arrested.

More Taft Men

MARYLAND REPUBLICANS FOR CLARE FOR HIM.

BALTIMORE, May 1.—The Maryland republican party today declared its support for William Howard Taft in the presidential election.

At an entertainment consisting of a lantern slide lecture on "Hiawatha" was given at the First Universalist church last night by the members of Mrs. Lane's class. Those who took part in the entertainment were Misses: Indian in costume and the attendance numbered about 20. The cost of the entertainment was \$100.

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BY FIVE VOTES

House Rejected the
Salary Increase BillTHE DISTRICT OP-
TION BILLWas Reconsidered and
Then Defeated

BOSTON, May 1.—The lower branch of the legislature yesterday spent nearly its entire day in considering two matters, the district option bill and the bill to increase the salary of members of the legislature. The district option bill, which was killed Wednesday, was revived and then killed again. The salary bill was also killed by a close margin, all proposed amendments being rejected.

Just before adjournment the house began a discussion of the bill to permit the commonwealth to take over the liquor license fees, 50 percent next year, 75 percent in 1910 and all in 1911 and thereafter. The bill will be discussed today as adjournment cut off debate.

The salary bill which has engrossed the private attention of every member of the house for several days, was killed by only five votes after extensive debate. The bill would raise the salary from \$750 to \$1000, and as drawn would make the increase apply to the present legislature. Mr. Cleary of Great Barrington offered an amendment to make the increase operative next year.

The closing speech in favor of the bill was made by Mr. Fay of Boston. The amendment to make the increase take effect next year was defeated on a roll call, 77 to 127. On the question of passing the bill to be engrossed, the rising vote was 35 to 88 in favor of such action, but on a roll call the bill was rejected, 96 to 101.

IN THE SENATE.

The session of the state senate yesterday afternoon was rather protracted, but the results were not of great importance. Senator Vahey of Middlesex urged the senate to reconsider its rejection of the O'Rourke bill to compel street railways to equip their cars with lifting jacks. The railroad commissioners have reported against the expediency or practicability of thus equipping the cars.

Senator Vahey, however, made a strong fight for reconsideration and exhibited during the discussion a jack, which, he said, would lift 15 tons. It was being used, he said, in Fitchburg. Senator Mitchell of Middlesex advised that it was being used in Marlboro, Cleveland and McKeesport as well. He

contended that the report of the commission was entirely incomplete and their investigation of the jack very cursory.

Senator Lincoln of Suffolk suggested: "There is no sentiment here; this is the place where they play the game, and the strong man and the strong cooperation win the money win." Senator Norcross and Senator Sowa favored reconsideration, the former saying that he did not understand why the railways objected to this kind of legislation. Senator Cowee and Monahan said they would vote for the bill because it was a humane measure.

Senator Grimes, chairman of the street railway committee, stood by the railroad commissioners' finding and opposed the motion to reconsider. Senator Mahoney spoke for the motion. Senator Vahey's motion to reconsider was lost, 12 to 22.

The senate then had before it the motion to substitute the Callahan lifting jack bill, and Senator Grimes raised the point of order that this measure was practically the same as the O'Rourke measure, which had been rejected. Free Chapelle ruled against the point on the ground that the two measures were not identical. The motion to substitute was then defeated, 12 to 21.

The plate glass insurance bill was substituted for the adverse report of the committee on insurance, on motion of Senator Vahey.

The so-called Hagen anti-monopoly bill went to a third reading without debate, 24 to 11.

The bill for direct nominations in Essex county was quietly killed, 19 to 15, as predicted.

In concurrence with the house the senate adopted the order calling for an opinion from the supreme court as to the constitutionality of taxing stock transfers.

The senate will meet today at noon.

MAN MAY DIE

EXPRESS WAGON COLLIDED
WITH A CAR.

BOSTON, May 1.—As a result of a collision between an inward-bound Grove Hall car and a wagon of the McCrellis Express company in front of 1231 Washington street, last night, one man is dying at the city hospital, and two others are in the hospital suffering from serious injuries.

Bertram J. McCrellis, aged 39 years, of 6 Blanchard street, Roxbury, driver of the express wagon, was thrown to the ground and suffered a fracture of the skull, from which he is not expected to survive.

Joseph E. Saunders, aged 25 years, of 185 Dudley street, the driver's helper, was also thrown to the pavement from the seat and suffered serious injuries to the face and body.

Henry Reiser, aged 25 years, of 25 Belmont street, Somerville, a passenger on the front platform of the electric car, suffered contusions of the body. All three were taken to the city hospital.

NORTH CAROLINA

THE REPUBLICANS FAVOR TAFT
FOR PRESIDENT.

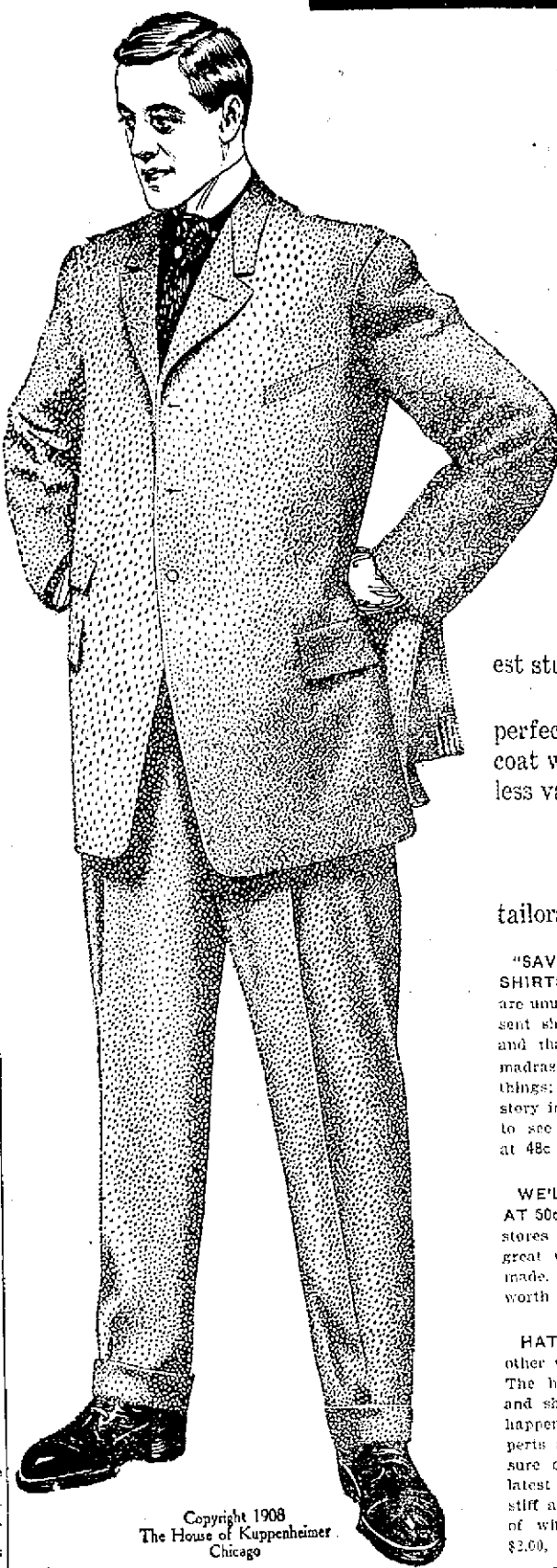
GREENSBORO, N. C., May 1.—The North Carolina Republican convention assembled here yesterday. A. H. Price was temporary chairman, and I. J. Britt permanent chairman. The following delegates at large were elected to the national convention: Thomas S. Rollins, Asheville; Charles J. Harris, Dillsboro; E. C. Duncan, Raleigh; and Spencer B. Adams, Greensboro.

Resolutions were adopted endorsing Roosevelt's administration and instructing the delegates for Taft for president.

AOTHER LUCKY HAPPY MAN—ANOTHER SENSIBLE LOWELL GIRL.

Wedding in June. Girl says, "If I don't have anything to do in the house, I am going to have a Gas Range and I am going to have Miss Webber teach me how to use it. I've been to her demonstration lectures and it's just a dream to watch Miss Webber work." Now as a matter of fact, this is no dream. Just as sure as shooting let a girl perfect herself in the Webberite way of using a Gas Range and let it become known among mankind, that girl is wanted, wanted bad. If she's not married in six months it's because she is in hiding and because the telephone "won't answer." Gee! What an opportunity. A Gas Range on easy terms. Instruct on its use free and hundreds of good likely men in Lowell starving to death—and leap year at that.

Next lecture Tuesday at three, Lowell Gas Light company appliance store, John street.



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"GUARANTEED" is a fine old overworked word; we use it ourselves pretty often. We mean simply that we want you satisfied; and we're willing to let you say what satisfaction means. The "guarantee" lasts until you are satisfied.

These new suits and overcoats will satisfy any man who knows values. They're the greatest stuff we've ever shown.

The suits have high, broad athletic shoulders, smoothly laid broad lapels; closely set collars; perfectly draped backs; with just the right dip and length. Trousers loose; half-peg style, waistcoat with full military front; all the smart touches of this very smart season. Browns in an endless variety; grays, tans, olives, blue or black.

\$10, \$12, \$15, \$18, \$20 up to \$25

They're B. Kuppenheimer & Co., Leopold Morse & Co. goods and other leading wholesale tailors lines.

"SAVOY" AND "FAULTLESS" SHIRTS we sell at \$1.00 and \$1.50 are unusual at such prices; they represent shirt comfort and satisfaction; and that's worth the money. Woven madras fabric, and many other fine things; can't tell the color and pattern story in any adequate way; you ought to see them. Many other good ones at 48c to \$2.00.

WE'LL SHOW YOU NECKWEAR AT 50c that you see displayed in other stores at \$1.00. Rich patterns in a great variety; heavy silks; the finest made. Others in pure silks for 23c, worth double.

HATS—You see one man after another with an unbecoming hat. Why? The hats were selected too quickly and shown by novices. That doesn't happen to our customers. Best hat experts and best hats in Lowell, we're sure of it; all the finest colors and latest shapes of crown and brim in stiff and soft hats at \$2.00, regardless of whether or not they are sold at \$2.00, \$2.50 or \$3.00 anywhere else.

IN THE BOYS' STORE we do things better than anyone else has ever done them; better styles, better fabrics for school or dress, and more of them; better tailored, too. Bloomer and plain pants modes, cut single or double breasted, for boys 8 to 17, about three hundred designs, \$1.98 to \$2.00.

SMALLEST BOYS' CLOTHES more than justify anything we can say about them; Russian Suits, sizes 2½ to 7; "Fighting Bob" Sailor Suits, sizes 5 to 10; Eton Suits, sizes 5 to 10; and Reefers, 2½ to 10, \$1.98 to \$2.50.

YOU'LL SEE HATS here you won't see anywhere else. Greatest line of Young's at \$3.00. Other lines \$1.00 and \$1.50.

The ideal stock of BOYS', CHILDREN'S AND MEN'S CAPS, 25c to \$1.00.

SPRING AND SUMMER SHOES, made to wear, not merely to look at or talk about. They're the best lot of shoes in the neighborhood and the greatest values you ever saw at \$2.00 and \$3.00.

TALBOT'S
HOUSEHOLD
CHEMICALS
ARE BEST

Phosphate
Soda
20c lb.

Ammonia
(Strongest)
10c pt.

Pure
Borax
12c lb.

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Middle
St.

THE COLOR LINE

Being Sharply Drawn in
the Philippines

BOSTON, May 1.—Fiske Warren, one of the leaders of the anti-imperialist movement of several years ago, returned yesterday from a third visit to the Philippines and declared that the Filipinos are more dangerous to their discontent than when he went to the islands on two previous occasions. The color line, he said, was being more sharply drawn than at any time since he first visited the islands. Asked if the natives were competent to accept independence, Mr. Warren said: "I am at present unwilling to give a

decided answer but I consider it improbable that the people will lapse into their former condition of savagery if given the reins of government."

In speaking of Japan, Mr. Warren said:

"That country is not such a tempting proposition to the Filipinos as the American public has been led to suppose. The natives appear to believe that the United States has intentions leading to ultimate self-government and then seem to harbor distrust of the Japanese and look askance at the possible intentions of Japan concerning Korea."

GOLD CROWNS.

The kind that wear and fit and give perfect satisfaction are made by Dr. Allen, Old City Hall.

WAGE INCREASE

For Bridge and Structural Iron Workers

BOSTON, May 1.—The first day of May, the date of starting new wage and working schedules by the labor union organizations, is notable for the fact that for the first time in many years there is no strike on in Boston in any of the many trades and no prospect of any disturbance of the sort in the near future.

Bridge and structural iron workers and housemiths yesterday secured a desired wage increase agreement and are satisfied with the prospects for another year. The increase is of five cents an hour for bridge structural workers and eight cents an hour for housemiths.

The wood, wire and metal laborers are to have double pay for overtime work, which they asked, and are satisfied with the adjustment of their claims.

The loggers have asked an additional amount for pay for all legal holidays which it is probable will be granted. All times were agreed with five thousand house carpenters and the men have accepted the agreement.

President Tamm of the Boston & Maine railroad announced that no change would be made in wages on the system and that trouble on that railroad is avoided. The Boston & Maine has a strike which is expected to last six months.

The demand of the N. Y. N. H. & H. road for the change in pay for overtime work has been received with approval by the employees of the system.

Navy yard employees, Atlantic coast seamen, railroad ironworkers, draw tenders, cigar strippers and makers, stationary engineers, brewery engineers, coal hoisting engineers and granite cutters have received important concessions and all are beginning the new industrial year in a most jubilant spirit.

LEOPARDS FREE

They Savagely Clawed
and Injured Boy

BALTIMORE, May 1.—During the performance at the Zoo last night, two leopards jumped the barrier, landing among the audience. A boy, Louis Long, was badly clawed about the face and neck and a panic that would have almost certainly have meant the loss of many lives was averted by the prompt action of Police Sergeant Barringer, in closing the exit door and allowing only one or two of the terrified people to descend the stairs at a time. There were several hundred people in the audience when seven leopards were let into the arena, which is surrounded by high steel bars, for a performance. Two of these were snaky and one is said to have been irritated by Long, who was close to the top of the cage. This leopard jumped toward the boy and scrambled over the top of the cage and was immediately followed by another of the beasts. The first one clawed Long savagely. The people in the audience were terror-stricken. One of the leop-

ards dashed down the stairway to the office and Barringer slammed the door. Then the crowd rushed toward him, but he held them back until they were calm enough for a few at a time to depart.

On the floor above the arena is a skating rink and here also the police locked the doors and held in the crowd until all danger of panic was passed. The leopards were corralled, one in the office of the Zoo, and the other in one of the dressing rooms by trainers and were returned to their cages.

WILL RETIRE

VICTOR MORAWETZ TO LEAVE
ATCHISON AND SANTA FE.

NEW YORK, May 1.—Victor Morawetz, chairman of the executive committee of the Atchison and Santa Fe road, said yesterday about reports of his intended resignation: "I expect to retire at least temporarily from the Atchison management in order to obtain rest and resume other work which I have been compelled to lay aside for several years. My resignation is not due to any loss of interest in the company or to any difference of views. My relations to the president and directors are more than cordial and there could not be a more harmonious board of directors than that of the Atchison Co."

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

BRIDGE BURNED

Traffic to Lowell Was
Delayed

A highway bridge at East Billerica on the main line of the southern division of the Boston and Maine railroad was burned last night, making it necessary to divert trains from Boston to Lowell by way of Wilmington Junction. As a consequence, the late local train from Boston to Lowell was delayed nearly an hour.

BORN IN LOWELL

JOHN G. GALLAN DIED IN TUGS
HOME.

TUGS, Me., May 1.—John G. Gallan, one of the older members of the Tugus home, died in the hospital yesterday. Mr. Gallan was born in Lowell, 67 years ago and was a spinner. He enlisted in Co. A, 1st R. I. Infantry, at Providence, Oct. 1, 1902, and was discharged at Providence, July 13, 1903. He was admitted to this home from Providence, Aug. 5, 1904.



ASK FOR
WASHBURN-CROSBY'S
GOLD MEDAL
FLOUR
THE VERY HIGHEST QUALITY

GREAT NAVAL BATTLE

Tenth Anniversary of the Fight at Manila

Today is the tenth anniversary of one of the most remarkable exploits in naval annals—the battle of Manila bay, May 1, 1898. Excepting the annual dinner tonight in Washington of the society of Manila bay, composed of officers of the U. S. navy, there will be no special celebration of the great event, but it will not be forgotten by any naval officer in the world.

In total weight of fire the battle was nearly equal, though the American cruisers mounted eight-inch guns in their main batteries, while the Spanish ships were more modern, better armed and more heavily armored. The superiority was, however, counterbalanced by the Spanish land batteries at Cavite, on Corregidor island and in front of Manila.

It was thus not an uneven contest. But the only casualty on the American side was caused by a Spanish shell striking the cruiser Baltimore, exploding a case of ammunition and wounding eight men, whereas the Spaniards lost 618 men killed, their entire fleet of 10 vessels and their forts.

April 24 Hon. John D. Long, secretary of the navy, sent to Commodore Dewey at Hongkong that memorable telegram:

"War has commenced between the United States and Spain. Proceed at once to the Philippine islands. Commence operations at once, particularly against the Spanish fleet. You must capture vessels or destroy. Use utmost endeavors."

SAIL AWAY TO VICTORY.

The following day the American fleet, consisting of the second-class cruisers Olympia, Baltimore, Boston and Raleigh, the partially protected gunboat Concord, the armed revenue

cutter Hugh McHugh and the small gunboat Petrel, with the tenders Zerkow and Naushon, sailed for Manila.

On the night of April 30, with all lights out, regardless of the batteries on Corregidor island and regardless of the mine, Commodore Dewey steamed boldly into Manila bay. The American vessels, piloted by Lieut. Calkins, entered the harbor of Manila before they were expected, passing the batteries and torpedo defenses with such ease and navigating the channels and shoals, that Admiral Montojo was taken completely by surprise.

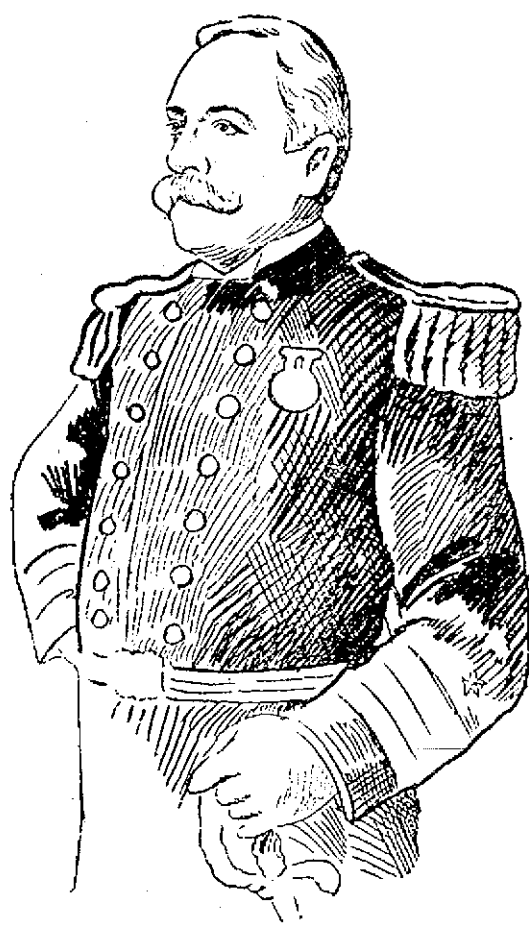
Shortly after daylight began the awful havoc wrought by the American fleet. Two sunken torpedoes were exploded ahead of the flagship Olympia. Two ineffective shots were fired from one of the forts. Those were the only incidents in the progress of the American vessels to the end of the bay where the Spanish admiral had hastily formed his battle line under the protection of the guns of Cavite.

The Spanish ships had not enough steam to maneuver properly. Three of them had broken machinery. As the American fleet advanced to the attack the Manila batteries opened fire with guns mounted at a distance of five miles. The Concord replied with two shots. No more were fired, for fear of burning the city.

When the column neared Cavite the guns of the fortress and of the Spanish ships first opened fire. Commodore Dewey constantly maneuvered his fleet to keep an advantageous position in the strong currents of the day and to avoid giving the Spaniards a mark. The Spanish gunners were the first shots passing over and the later ones falling short of their mark.

FATAL HAIL OF STEEL

Commodore Dewey's flagship led the American column, which steamed back and forth as near the Spanish fleet,



ADMIRAL GEORGE DEWEY, U. S. N.

close to the shore batteries, as it was supposed the deep draft of the Olympia would allow. Then, at a distance of 4000 yards, changing its course, the fleet ran parallel to the Spanish column and opened fire on the ships and forts.

After 20 minutes the American ships stood out and used their heavy guns with terrible effect, and then they closed in again. The Spaniards worked their guns gallantly, but the damage inflicted by the American shells caused their line gradually to weaken. After four runs were made in front of the Spanish fleet, with all guns working, the enemy's vessels were rendered useless.

Out of the Spanish line advanced the Maria Christina to attack the American flagship, but in a few minutes she was made a helpless cripple. The Olympia's fire raked her mercilessly and exploded one of her magazines. Two torpedo boats that crept out of the smoke to attack the Olympia and the Baltimore were quickly destroyed. The Don Juan de Austria was blown up. The Castilla burst into flames and then the Isle de Cuba, to which the flag of Admiral Montojo had been transferred, caught fire and sank.

The Don Antonio de Ulloa, the only remaining ship outside the breakwater, was fired by American shells and abandoned. Then the Concord and the Petrel went across the bay and destroyed the Mindanao and the lighters on the beach. The Spanish admiral's last signal was for all the captains to scuttle and abandon their ships.

After two hours of hard work—the most momentous two hours in American history—Commodore Dewey withdrew in order to give the men a rest and know how completely he had disabled the Spanish ships and partly because it had been reported through mistake that the ammunition was running short. Later in the morning the fleet returned to silence with a few well-directed shots from the Baltimore and the Concord all the remaining batteries silent and ashore. Then the admirals went inside the breakwater to destroy the remnant of the Spanish fleet.

All that occurred May 1. It was a whole week later before the details of the historic event were known in the United States. Dewey had cut the cable connecting Manila with the outer world.

TRAIN SERVICE

Board of Trade Secures Improvements

The Board of Trade of the city and of trade has been in consultation with the Boston & Maine officials for some time relative to a better train service and has felt quite confident that it will be forthcoming.

Formerly the 7 o'clock train to Boston in the morning was not regularized by the board. As this was a northern train and was continually late, however, Lowell people were gradually obliged to take an earlier train, about 5 o'clock. It is hoped to have a train put on to leave Lowell about 7 o'clock.

There was formerly a train from Boston to Lowell, leaving Boston at 4 o'clock in the afternoon. This train proved very convenient for Lowell people. Last fall it was dropped, however, throwing the greater part of the traffic upon the 5 o'clock train and making traveling unpleasant on that account. It is hoped to have the 4 o'clock train put on again.

The railroad officials have been courteous in the matter and are considering what can be done to better conditions. It is believed that the improvements will be put in effect when

the regular summer schedule goes into effect before many weeks. They will be made permanent.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

Miss Annie A. Davis has returned to the Y. W. C. A. after a week's sojourn at Newport, R. I. She has been quite an adept on the roller skates. After May 1st she will be located in Tyngsboro where she will take charge of an extensive farm.

Factors of Safety

The human body is a wonderful machine, provided with muscular, nervous and mental energy far in excess of normal needs. In health, the organs and tissues can do double their usual amount of work without strain or friction, because they have stored energy to meet the extra demand.

When you feel "all tuckered out," these factors of safety are nearly exhausted and you need to resort to

BEECHAM'S PILLS

to renew the supply of energy, wherever it may be called for.

Indigestion, bilious attacks, constipation, loss of sleep, nervousness, dizzy spells, are warnings that the factor of safety in the stomach, liver, bowels or brain, is low, or nearing the danger point and needs to be replenished.

Beecham's Pills increase the supply of blood, strengthen the stomach, operate the bowels, feed the nerve cells, build tissue, and create a reserve supply of energy, which is the only natural and effective way to

Protect the Health

In boxes with full directions, 10c. and 25c.

HALF A GLANCE

Is enough to convince the unbiased man of the superiority of Merrimack Clothing

It is the finest ready to wear the country produces—with the variety of models and fabrics that comes from the association in one stock of the best efforts of three of New York's finest clothes makers—and A. Shuman & Co., Boston.

With this variety of models and fabrics goes the assurance of exclusiveness that is part of the strength of each of these high grade makes which we control for Lowell.

At \$20, \$22.50, \$25, \$27.50 and \$30

There's a showing of Spring Suits in the new shades and fabric designs that comprehends nearly every taste. Shades of tan, olive, gray and light brownish tints, dominate the color showing and in these, stripes are in the big majority.

At \$10, \$12, \$15 and \$18

Are great big values in well made clothes, all hand tailored in the vital parts. At \$15 there's a specially big range of fabrics, including brown all worsteds, that are in such demand.

BLACK AND OXFORD OVERCOATS

HAND TAILORED

\$20

We will offer this coat in competition with any ready-to-wear garment costing \$5 more, or with any to-order garment costing \$10 more, and will prove equal value in cloth, design and tailoring.

This isn't an idle or boastful claim—it's one we are ready at any time to back up, and simply proves our belief that we have the best \$20 overcoat shown in the country.

They are tailored by our best makers—and there are no better ready-to-wear clothes—the usual retail price being \$25.

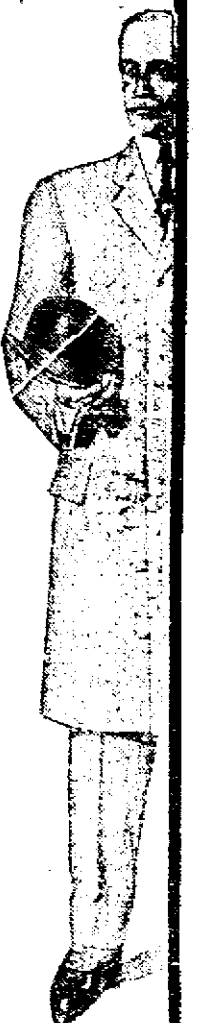
They're here in black and oxford vicuna—rich, dressy cloths—with princess serge linings.

They're 42 inches long, with half box backs, deep vents and long narrow lapels.

Sizes in regulars, stouts or lugs up to 46.

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Across From City Hall



SCHEDULE OUT

For the Games in Local Catholic League

The managers of the six baseball teams that have signified their intention to play with the Catholic baseball league of this city met last evening in the Matthews hall and perfected plans.

The meeting was called to order by the president, Denis A. O'Brien of the league. After the business that came before the meeting had been favorably acted upon the schedule of the league arranged by William C. King, the secretary, was read and accepted.

The season will be opened on Saturday with the St. Patrick's Sanctuary choir playing the St. John's T. A. S. Society of North Chelmsford. The game

arranged between the Burke and Sacred Heart Holy Name society has been postponed. The Y. M. C. I. will play the Matthews at Mountain Rock.

Following is the schedule to be carried out during the season. The schedule has been arranged so that the teams will play five games at home, five away from home and the last five to be the manager's choice:

May 16—St. Patrick's sanctuary choir and Burke, No. common; Sacred Heart and Y. M. C. I. S. S. common; St. John's T. A. S. and Matthews, No. common.

May 16—Sacred Heart and St. John's, No. Chelmsford; Y. M. C. I. and Burke, No. common; St. Patrick's S. C. and Matthews, No. common.

May 22—Sacred Heart and Matthews, Sacred Heart grounds; St. John's T. A. S. Chelmsford; Y. M. C. I. and Burke, S. and Burke, Burke's grounds; St. Patrick's S. C. and Y. M. C. I. S. S. common.

May 28—St. John's T. A. S. and Y. M. C. I. S. S. common; Sacred Heart and St. Patrick's S. C. Sacred Heart grounds; Burke and Matthews, Matthews grounds.

June 5—Burke and Sacred Heart, Sacred Heart grounds; Matthews and Y. M. C. I. S. S. common; St. Patrick's S. C. and St. John's T. A. S. No. common.

June 12—St. Patrick's S. C. and Burke, Burke's grounds; St. John's T. A. S. and Matthews, No. Chelmsford; Y. M. C. I. and Sacred Heart, Y. M. C. I. grounds.

June 19—Y. M. C. I. and Burke, Burke's grounds; Sacred Heart and St. John's T. A. S. Sacred Heart grounds; Matthews and St. Patrick's S. C. No. common.

June 26—Matthews and Sacred Heart, Matthews grounds; St. Patrick's S. C. and Y. M. C. I. S. S. common; St. John's T. A. S. and Burke, No. Chelmsford.

July 3—Burke and Matthews, Burke's grounds; St. John's T. A. S. and Y. M. C. I. S. S. common; St. Patrick's S. C. and Sacred Heart, No. common.

July 10—Sacred Heart and Burke, St. Patrick's S. C. grounds; St. John's T. A. S. and Y. M. C. I. S. S. common; Matthews and Matthews grounds.

July 17—Matthews and St. John's T. A. S. Y. M. C. I. S. S. common; Sacred Heart; St. Patrick's S. C. and Burke, St. Patrick's S. C. grounds; St. John's T. A. S. and Y. M. C. I. S. S. common.

Aug. 1—St. Patrick's S. C. and Matthews, Sacred Heart and St. John's T. A. S. Y. M. C. I. S. S. common.

Aug. 8—Matthews and Burke, St. Patrick's S. C. and Sacred Heart; St. John's T. A. S. and Y. M. C. I. S. S. common.

The games played between July 18 and Aug. 15 will be the manager's choice.

The games to be played on are as follows: St. Patrick's sanctuary choir, No. common; St. John's T. A. S. S. S. common; Matthews on Matthews grounds; Y. M. C. I. S. S. common; Sacred Heart; St. Patrick's S. C. and Burke, No. Chelmsford; Burke on Burke's grounds.

The managers of the St. Patrick's sanctuary choir, Matthews and Burke, will play with St. John's T. A. S. and Y. M. C. I. S. S. common.

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15,453

Sworn to by John H. Harrington, proprietor, Martin H. Reidy, business manager, and Alfred Pilotte, pressman, of The Sun, before me, January 1, 1908.
JAMES E. O'DONNELL, Notary Public.

This is by far the largest net average circulation of any newspaper in Lowell.

An advertisement placed in The Sun is of more value to the advertiser than if it were inserted in all the other newspapers in Lowell and the cost of inserting it in The Sun is about ONE-THIRD the price charged by the other papers.

AGAINST THE WHITE PLAGUE

THE POSTING OF ANTI-SPITTING NOTICES IN THE MILLS AT THE INSTIGATION OF DR. SIMPSON, SPECIAL MEDICAL INSPECTOR, APPOINTED BY THE STATE, IS ONE OF THE PRECAUTIONS AGAINST THE SPREAD OF TUBERCULOSIS AND CONSUMPTION.

IT IS REMARKABLE HOW IGNORANT SOME PEOPLE ARE ON THIS POINT AND ENFORCEMENT OF THE ANTI-SPITTING LAW WILL BE A VALUABLE LESSON IF PRACTISED AT THEIR HOMES BY THE OPERATIVES AS WELL AS IN THE MILLS.

THIS IS A GREAT STEP IN ADVANCE IN THE WAR ON THE "WHITE PLAGUE."

ON JUNE 6, 7 AND 8 IN ST. LOUIS WILL MEET THE AMERICAN ANTI-TUBERCULOSIS SOCIETY IN ITS ANNUAL CONVENTION; AND ITS DELIBERATIONS WILL HAVE SPECIAL REFERENCE TO THIS COUNTRY. BUT IN WASHINGTON, D. C. NEXT FALL THE CONVENTION OF THE INTERNATIONAL ANTI-TUBERCULOSIS ASSOCIATION WILL BE HELD. THIS CONVENTION WILL LAST FROM SEPT. 21 TO OCTOBER 12, AND SOME OF THE STATES WILL TAKE A PROMINENT PART IN THE EXHIBITION. WISCONSIN HAS APPROPRIATED \$5,000 FOR A PART IN THE EXHIBIT AND MAINE, NEW YORK, MARYLAND AND PENNSYLVANIA HAVE ALSO MADE LIBERAL ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE CONVENTION EXHIBIT.

WHEN IT IS CONSIDERED THAT IN FRANCE ABOUT 150,000 A YEAR FALL VICTIMS TO THIS DISEASE, IT WILL BE APPARENT HOW DREADFUL IS THE SCOURGE. AND FOR EVERY ONE WHO DIES OF THE DISEASE THREE ARE IN VARIOUS STAGES OF ITS PROGRESS TOWARDS FATALITY.

THE SCIENCE OF MEDICINE, SURGERY AND PATHOLOGY ARE BEING TURNED ON THIS DISEASE WITH THE RESULT THAT IF NO CURE BE FOUND, AT LEAST PREVENTIVE MEASURES WILL BE ENFORCED THAT WILL LESSEN THE RAVAGES OF THE DISEASE AND THUS SAVE NUMBERLESS LIVES THROUGHOUT THE WORLD.

THE EMPLOYMENT PROBLEM

EXCEPT IN THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN THERE SEEMS TO BE NO DESIRE TO DO ANYTHING IN THE LINE OF STARTING UP WORK AT WHICH SOME OF THOSE MEN NOW IDLE MIGHT FIND EMPLOYMENT.

THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN VOTED IN FAVOR OF A LOAN TO START WORK IN THE SEWER DEPARTMENT. THE SEWERAGE OF THE ANNEX MAY BE A DIFFICULT UNDERTAKING AND WILL BE EXPENSIVE, OF COURSE, BUT IF THAT CANNOT BE STARTED NOW LET WORK BE PROVIDED ELSEWHERE.

THE CITY ENGINEER MUST MAP OUT THE SCHEME THAT IS MOST FEASIBLE AND AT THE SAME TIME LEAST EXPENSIVE. IT WOULD BE WELL IF THE ENGINEER EVOLVED TWO OR MORE SCHEMES BY WHICH THE SAME OBJECT COULD BE ATTAINED. THEN LET THE CITY COUNCIL OR THE SEWER COMMITTEE DECIDE UPON WHICH IT WILL ADOPT. ALL THIS REQUIRES TIME AND THOUGHT.

AN UNDERTAKING OF THIS KIND SHOULD BE WELL CONSIDERED, OF COURSE, IN ORDER THAT NO MISTAKE MAY BE MADE IN THE EXPENDITURE OF ANY LARGE AMOUNT OF MONEY.

IF ANY ISOLATED SYSTEM OF SEWERAGE COULD BE PROVIDED FOR WARRENVILLE, IT WOULD BE VERY USEFUL AND MIGHT OBVIATE THE NECESSITY OF UNDERTAKING THE CONSTRUCTION OF A LARGE AND EXPENSIVE SEWER.

AT CITY HALL THERE SEEMS TO BE A VERY STRANGE DIFFERENCE TO THE FACT THAT THOUSANDS OF MEN ARE DAILY WALKING THE STREETS IN SEARCH OF WORK AND CANNOT FIND IT. THEY LOOK TO THE MAYOR AND THE HEADS OF DEPARTMENTS, BUT THUS FAR THEY HAVE RECEIVED VERY LITTLE CONSIDERATION ALTHOUGH THERE IS CONSIDERABLE WORK THAT HAD BETTER BE DONE NOW THAN IN THE MOUTH OF WINTER. IT IS NOT NECESSARY TO WAIT FOR THE SOLUTION OF THE ANNEX SEWER PROBLEM BEFORE STARTING STREET AND SEWER WORK THAT SHOULD BE DONE THIS SUMMER IN THE CITY PROPER.

THE SALARY GRAB

THE LEGISLATURE HAS SAVED ITS REPUTATION BY DEFEATING THE SALARY GRAB BILL. THIS IS NO TIME FOR RAISING THE SALARIES OF PUBLIC OFFICIALS. ON THE CONTRARY IT IS A TIME FOR REDUCING SUCH SALARIES WHERE THEY SEEM EXCESSIVE. THOSE WHO DESERVE AN INCREASE OF SALARY MUST WAIT UNTIL THE ARRIVAL OF MORE PROSPEROUS TIMES.

EDITORIAL COMMENT

AS OTHERS SEE US.

Memphis Journal: Mr. Paderewski, the famous pianist, expresses the opinion that there are more beautiful cities in the United States than in any other country in the world, and that we are only in the beginning of development along this line. He was particularly impressed with the strong hold that the park idea has obtained in the municipalities of this country.

ENGLAND DRINK BILL

Westminster Gazette: It is reassuring to learn from Dr. Lawson Teras' annual review of the United Kingdom's drink bill that although we spent \$59,000 more on intoxicants last year than in 1906, the average expenditure per head has fallen from 47 1/2 pence to 45 1/2 pence. From 1902 to 1906 the average expenditure never fell below 45 1/2 pence, and in 1906 it reached 44 1/2 pence. On the other hand, from 1901 to 1906 each year included a never more as high as 43, while in 1907 it fell as low as 42 1/2 pence, or less.

than two-thirds its present amount. As matters are we stand exactly where we stood in 1888, when the expenditure per head on alcoholic liquors was, as last year, 23 1/2 pence.

CORPORATIONS IN POLITICS

Providence Telegram: "When you consider," said Mr. Bryan, speaking in New York, "that this one-headed thousand dollars which was contributed by a single corporation in this city was more than we were able to raise in either of the campaigns in which I was a candidate from more than six million voters, you get a fair idea of the tremendous influence, one way or another, that the corporations can exert if they want to."

If the corporations exert an improper influence, if they use their money to purchase votes, they should be punished when detected, in company with the voters who accept their money. No wide gulf yawns between the bribe-giver and the bribe-taker and there is no defence for either. Nothing can be said in palliation of political corruption, on that point all rational-minded people are agreed. But to maintain as many reformers are

now insisting, that corporations should not be permitted to participate in politics is absurd. It is no difficult matter, surely, to wander far from first principles and to make a mockery of idealism.

RHODEY'S CELEBRATION

Boston Transcript: A movement is on foot in Rhode Island this year to celebrate the local "Declaration of Independence." It was May 1, 1776, that the little colony declared it would no longer play in King George's back yard.

SUITS LOWELL ALSO

Lawrence Telegram: One of the leaders in charitable work in this city has asked us to urge all owners of gardens to give as much work as they can to unemployed persons about the gardens and grounds surrounding their houses. It is a good suggestion, and we hope as many as possible will adopt it in Lawrence.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

PEOPLE OF NOTE

The first murder north of the Missouri river recorded in history was committed in December, 1804, and the criminal was indicted by the first grand jury that assembled north of the Missouri river after the cession of the territory to the United States. The preliminary hearing was held before Daniel Boone, who placed the accused in a jail in St. Charles to await the action of the grand jury. When the jury assembled it was found that eleven of the twelve could not write their names. The one who could sign his name was chosen foreman. The indictment which they framed after great labor was a curious one and of special interest as the first indictment drawn in Louisiana territory under the United States government. It reads as follows:

"That one James Davis, late of the district of St. Charles, in the territory of Louisiana, laborer, not having the fear of God before his eyes, but being moved and seduced by the instigation

of the devil, on the thirteenth day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and four (1804) at a place called Fennie Osage, in the said district of St. Charles, with force of arms, in and upon William Hays in the peace of God and the United States, there and then feloniously, willfully and with malice aforethought did make an assault, and that the same James Davis, with a certain rifle gun four feet long, and of the value of 15 then and there loaded with gunpowder and one leaden bullet, with said rifle gun the said James Davis, then and there in his hands had and held, fired and killed William Hays."

A true bill was found against James Davis, and he was bound over to appear for trial. His bail bond was fixed at \$200, which Daniel Boone signed. There must have been extraordinary circumstances connected with the murder, for Davis was cleared when placed on trial.

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Every suit is new this season, cut on the latest models. Coats are all hand tailored—trousers finished with side straps and buckles, and there are about the suits all the niceties of "custom made." These handsome suits of pure worsteds in browns, olives and stone shades, represent the newest and most fashionable spring colors. We do not believe that suits equal to these in style, quality and tailoring can be bought elsewhere below eighteen dollars **\$15**

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An excellent variety of men's fancy worsted suits in dark and quiet gray mixed effects—go on sale today for \$10.

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No store equals these goods in value for our prices. Every fabric is warranted all wool and absolutely fast color. Every coat is made with hand felled collar—and every suit shown is strictly new, cut on the latest models. These black and blue suits are all made from fabrics of our own selection, of full standard weights—and all have been carefully tested for strength and color. We stand back of every suit with the fullest guarantee to make good—any garment that goes wrong. Our Blue Serge Suits, Black and Blue Unfinished Worsteds Suits, in men's and young men's sizes. Even the lowest priced has coats with hand felled collar—for

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TAN OXFORDS

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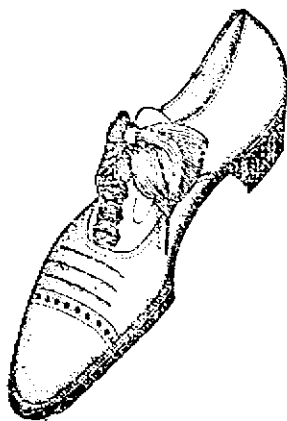
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PORTLAND WON

Lowell Had the Game
for Seven InningsBUT KENNISTON'S
TROLLEY WENT OFFShannon Back Again in
the Lineup

For seven innings yesterday Lowell had Portland shut out and it looked as if 2 to 0 would be the score at the conclusion of the game. In the eighth, however, Kenniston's trolley went off a couple of the fielders went bad and the Portland boys piled up three runs and won the game.

Lowell outbatted Portland and showed a superior knowledge of the game but there is always a chance for

the under dog in base ball. Rhoady was missed on first as he had a bad cold and got a day off. Duff played left and Green right field. Duff made an error that helped Portland and Green had an opportunity to try for a runner at the plate but didn't try. Lowell used three pitchers, Greenwell, Warner and Kenniston. In the order named Greenwell and Warner worked without error, and got by in one style, but Kenniston, who put more energy into his work, went bad. The only running face in the Portland team was Follansbee, who played third base for Lowell for a time last season. Follansbee played first base for Portland, and it was his hit which scored two runs for the visitors. Lowell batted twice in the first. Shannon started out with a drive which sent the ball against the right field fence about a foot from the top. This was good for two bases. White singled to left and Shannon, tried to score, but was caught at the plate by a perfect throw by Schneider. White went to second on the throw. Howard drew a pass. Duff hit to White at third, and the batter struck out on third, forcing out White. Chubb's beauty to center scored Howard and Duff. Carter attempted to take second, but was nabbed by a throw to Picher Thompson, who passed the ball to Follansbee at first, the play being completed at second by Follansbee.

In the third, hit by Greenwell and White and a base on balls to Shannon

helped Lowell a little bit, Shannon and Greenwell being caught on

between bases and White singling.

With two to tie and three to win in

the eighth, Portland negotiated the winning number. Southwell drew a pass. Kelly hit to Harris, who threw to Duff. The latter muffed the ball and Southwell went to third. Chase walked. White tried to right. Southwell scoring after the ball had been caught. Kelly stole second and third. Chase stole second. Schneider walked. With three men on base, Follansbee singled to left, scoring Kelly and Chase. This was sufficient as Lowell couldn't get a man around the circuit after this stage. The score.

PORTLAND.									
White, 3d	.....	ab	1	bl	po	a	3	1	1
Schneider, R	.....	.....	3	0	0	0	3	1	1
Follansbee, 1b	.....	.....	1	0	1	1	0	0	0
Donovan, 2b	.....	.....	1	0	1	2	0	0	0
McDonough, R	.....	.....	1	0	1	1	0	0	0
Lee, cf	.....	.....	1	0	1	1	0	0	0
Southwell, ss	.....	.....	2	1	1	0	0	0	0
Kelly, c	.....	.....	1	0	1	1	0	0	0
Chase, p	.....	.....	2	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	.....	.....	13	4	27	19	1	1	1

LOWELL.									
Shannon, ss	.....	.....	2	0	1	1	0	0	0
White, 2b	.....	.....	2	0	2	2	0	0	0
Howard, cf	.....	.....	1	1	3	0	0	0	0
Duff, 1b	.....	.....	1	2	12	1	1	1	1
Carter, R	.....	.....	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
Green, cf	.....	.....	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
Harris, 3b	.....	.....	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	.....	.....	9	1	0	5	1	1	1

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING.									
	Won	Lost	P. C.		Won	Lost	P. C.		
Cleveland	8	5	63.9				
New York	8	5	63.9				
St. Louis	9	6	60.0				
Philadelphia	8	7	57.1				
Boston	7	7	50.0				
Chicago	7	7	50.0				
Washington	5	9	35.7				
Detroit	3	9	25.0				

At New York—New York-Hoston game called off on account of rain.
At Philadelphia—Washington 2, Philadelphia 1. Called at end of eighth, rain.
At St. Louis—St. Louis 2, Cleveland 1.
At Detroit—Detroit-Chicago game postponed; cold weather and wet grounds.

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING.									
	Won	Lost	P. C.		Won	Lost	P. C.		
Chicago	8	3	72.7				
Pittsburg	7	4	63.6				
New York	8	6	57.1				
Boston	7	7	50.0				
Philadelphia	7	7	50.0				
Cincinnati	5	6	45.5				
Brooklyn	6	8	42.9				
St. Louis	3	10	23.1				

NATIONAL LEAGUE RESULTS.
At Boston—Boston 3, New York 2.
At Pittsburg—Pittsburg-Cincinnati game postponed, rain.
At Brooklyn—Brooklyn 2, Philadelphia 1. (Called end of fifth, rain.)
At Chicago—Chicago 3, St. Louis 1.

GAMES TODAY.
N. E. League Opening.
Lowell at Lynn.
Lawrence at Haverhill.
Brookton at New Bedford.
Fall River at Worcester.
American League.
Boston at Philadelphia.
New York at Washington.
Chicago at Detroit.
National League.
Brooklyn at Boston.
Philadelphia at New York.
St. Louis at Chicago.
Cincinnati at Pittsburg.

COLLEGE GAMES.
College Baseball Results.
At Philadelphia—University of Virginia-Pennsylvania game postponed, rain.
At Amherst—Agricultural College 12, Norwich university 4.
At Cambridge—University of Maine 2, Harvard 0.
At Springfield—Bates 5, Springfield

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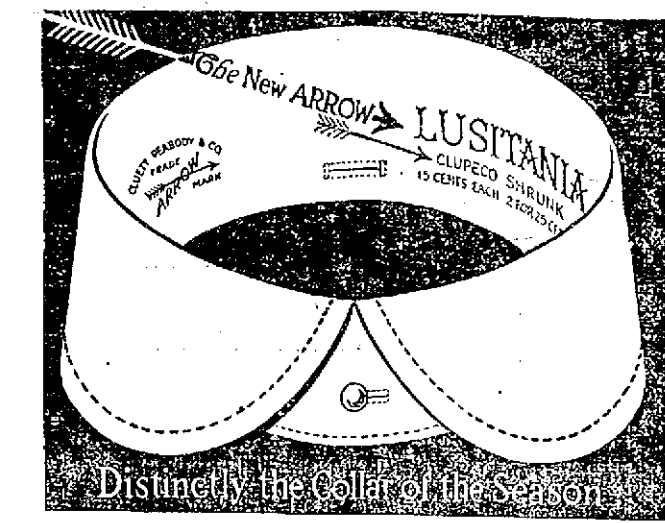
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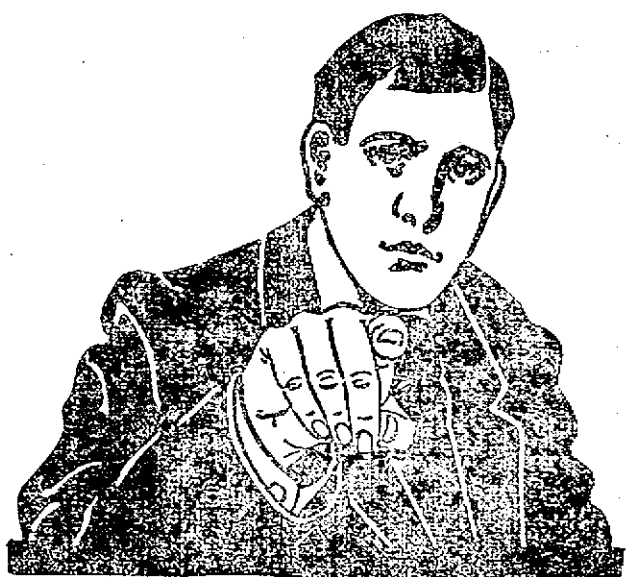
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Taken on execution in suit vs. the McBride Machine Company, and will be sold at public auction in lots to suit purchasers, on the premises rear of 55 Wilder street, in said Lowell, on Monday, May 4, 1908, at 4:30 o'clock in the afternoon the following described property to wit: All personal property of said McBride Machine Company, on said premises, consisting in part of lot of lathes, machinery and small tools of different kinds, lot of iron, castings, belting, shafting, also roll top desk, large safe, etc.
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At Worcester—Worcester, (N. E.) 11, Woonsocket (Atlantic) 2.
At Lynn—Lynn (N. E.) 2, Lewiston (Atlantic) 1.
At Melrose, c.....3 0 0 5 1 1
Greenwell, p.....1 0 1 1 0 0
Warner, p.....0 0 0 0 0 0
Kenniston, p.....1 0 0 1 1 0
Totals.....2 9 2 15 3

Portland.....0 0 0 0 0 0 3
Lowell.....2 0 0 0 0 0 0 3
Two base hits—Shannon, Duff, Donovan, Southwell. Double play—White and Donovan. Hits—Off Greenwell 1 in 3 innings; off Warner 1 in 3 innings; off Kenniston 2 in 3 innings. Struck out—By Greenwell 2, by Warner 1, by Kenniston 2, by Chase 2. Stolen bases—Kelly 2, Chase, Time—1:10. Umpire—Price.

DIAMOND NOTES
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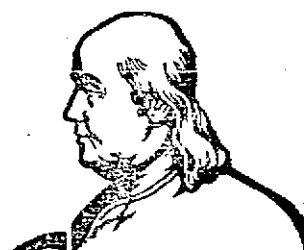
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Wall Street Talks Back

Wall Street has not caught a "lamblike" spirit from the gentle animals who furnish the adjective. Whoever expected Wall Street to say "Please excuse me. I am a miserable sinner," was not wholly right.

In this week's issue of THE SATURDAY EVENING POST there are some statements and defenses by the men who work on 'Change, including James R. Keene, Ogden D. Budd, President of the Consolidated Stock Exchange; Theodore H. Price, Cotton Operator, and J. S. Bache, of J. S. Bache & Company. There are two sides to everything except the North Pole. Read what these men say of their own business.

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POLICE BOARD

Granted a Number of
Minor LicensesNOTICE TO LUNCH
CART OWNERSThat They Must Vacate
Public StandsLast night the board held another
meeting, lasting from 8:30 o'clock
till eleven. The board issued the fol-
lowing statement relative to lunch
carts:"The board voted unanimously that
the superintendent be authorized to
notify the proprietors of lunch carts
to vacate public stands until such
time as licenses for same are obtained
from the board of aldermen."The board granted the following li-
censes:Billiards and pool: Joseph A. Cassi-
dy, 479 Broadway; James H. Buckley
& Co., 491 Middle street, 131 Central
street; Duffy Brothers, 329 Bridge
street; William Scott, 157-159 Middle-
sex street; William Ryan, 289 Bridge
street; Samuel Scott, 34 Central street
and 25 Prescott street; George M.
Campbell, 14-16 Merrimack square;
Thomas I. Fitzgerald, 468 Merrimack
street; Peter Anastopoulos, 479 Mar-
ket street; Thomas Mazzoni, 562 Mid-
dsex street; Frank J. N. Lucchesi &
Donohoe, 135 Middle street; Felix Ro-
chette, 22 Race street; Sam Dupont, 787
Mammoth road; Sam Dupont, 787
Moody street; Timothy O'Neill, Jr.,
corner Fayette and Andover streets;
A. C. Picanoso, 12 Summer street; Ho-
gos Krikorian, 102 Lakeview avenue;
William Latendresse, 171 Aiken street;Albert Bradley, 490 Merrimack street;
Adolphe T. Hanson, 748 Gorham street;
James P. Dugdale, 259 Market street;
Joseph Daigle, 366 Moody street; John
J. Conlon, 27 Shattuck street; U. S.
Taber & Co., 129 Middle street; Wil-
liam St. Gene, 81 Aiken street; Henry
Chaput, 12 Aiken street; John J. Lee,
153 Bridge street; Edward W. Cush-
ing, Middlesex street; James Petros,
27 Adams street; D. Benardini, 259
Merrimack street; Peter Castropoulos, 629
Central street; Henry P. Carr, 98
Gorham street; Robert Farrell, 11 Wat-
son street.Junk collectors—Nathan Greenbaum
58 Chelmsford street; Maurice
Schwartz, 115 Howard street; Julius
Goldman, 12 Wilson avenue; John J.
Smith, 27 Penn avenue.
Hawker and peddler—Alfred Wat-
son, 39 Damon street.
Fish cart—Carl Noyes, 132 B street.
Intelligence office—Elva Nicholson,
164 Central street.
Second hand clothing—The Zedon, 222
Middlesex street.Express—Thomas Casey, 233 Apple-
ton street; Eugene E. Stoughton, 37
Mullan street; Stanley Transportation
company, 12 Thordike street.
Pawn broker—Francis J. Melton, 121
Central street.Common victualer—James Kalakas,
32 Suffolk street; Blauvas Koun-
stantinos, 599 Market street; Cam-
ingham & Parnsworth, 318 Gorham
street; Mrs. Catherine Charbon, 61
Newhall street; John Norrie, 110 Fox-
oli street; William H. Trachten, Lay-
rence street; P. E. Putnam, 10 Merri-
mack street; John Lisotte, 124 Chees-
er street; John Savanos, 424 Suffolk
street; Mrs. Athalia Jodohn, 29 Camp-
bell street; Abraham Parnough, 342 Cen-
tral street; Cameron Brothers, 175
Middlesex street; Mrs. John J. Har-
rington, 93 John street; Mrs. Mary
McMillan, 278 Central street; Mrs. Jo-
seph Patten, 1 and 2 Dutton street;
Edward Mooney, 35 Suffolk street;
Mrs. A. P. Saunders, 282 Appleton
street; Mrs. Cora A. Tobey, 111 Wes-
tford street; Mary F. Saxe, 209-211
Westford street.

AT HIGHLAND CHURCH.

A great was the success of the enter-
tainment given at the Highland Congre-
gational church Wednesday evening that
it was repeated last evening. The audi-
ence was large and the success of Wed-
nesday evening was repeated.

\$90,000 DAMAGE

Big Fire Broke Out in
LynnSTARTED IN PROVI-
SION STORELodging House District
Was ThreatenedLYNN, May 1.—The big provision
store of the J. H. Frost company in
Lynn, one of the largest stores under
one roof in New England, was dam-
aged by the first fire to the extent of
\$90,000. Only desperate efforts on the
part of the firemen prevented a con-
siderable loss in the thickly settled lodg-
ing house district.The fact that the loss was not twice
as great was due to the heroic action
of Capt. Welch of chemical 1. Driver
Martin of chemical 1 and Special Offi-
cer Connolly. When these men
reached the scene they rushed into the
building and closed the fire doors be-
tween the burning section and the an-
nex, thus preventing the flames from
spreading.Capt. Welch was overcome by
smoke and was carried out by his
companions. Martin had his hand man-
gled. Later in the evening, Capt. H. S.
Avery of engine 1 was overcome by
smoke, but he was able to return to
work. Henry Garden of engine 5 was
cut by glass, and William Moore of
engine 4 had a narrow escape from a
falling wall.An investigation will be started to
find the cause of the fire. There was
nobody in the part where the fire
started, and it was not near the boilers.
The only men in the building, be-
sides the watchman, were 11 bakers on
the second floor of the annex.

SHE IS OVER 103

Mrs. Deslauriers is Celebrating
Her BirthdayWonderful Old Lady Perhaps the
Oldest in the State—Her Facul-
ties and Vision Still ClearMrs. Pierre Deslauriers, Que. She was baptized there May 3,
probably the oldest woman in the old
bay State, is today observing her
birthday anniversary. She has made
the century run and three milestones
beyond. She is 103 years old today and
while her mental faculties are as clear
as when she was a young girl, her body
is now the living monument of a
remarkable chain of years, a chain
with links numbering 103 some weddedQue. She was baptized there May 3,
1805, and has her baptismal certificate
showing her authentic age to be 103.
Her maiden name was Elvire Forget.
She was married in 1840, at the age of
35. She had five daughters, four of
whom are living. Mrs. J. H. Pontre-
au and Mrs. Napoleon de Pontre-
au, both married to brothers, and Mrs.
Ephrem Major, all three of Lowell, and
Mrs. Julie Noel of Montreal.She has 10 grandchildren and nine
great-grandchildren. The grandchil-
dren are Mrs. Leo Veina, Misses
Salome, Donatille and Marie Jeanne
de Pontre-
au, and Mr. John de Pont-
re-
au, children of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. de
Pontre-
au; Mrs. Frederic Bousquet,
daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. de
Pontre-
au; Mrs. Ephrem, Anna and
William Major, and Mrs. Ludger La-
pointe, children of Mr. and Mrs.
Ephrem Major, all of Lowell. The
great-grandchildren are Leo, Beatrice
and Antoinette Major, children of
Ephrem Major; Beatrice and Gregoire
Lapointe, children of Mr. and Mrs.
Ludger Lapointe; Dorinda, Frederic
and Maria Bousquet, children of Mr.

MRS. PIERRE DESLAURIERS.

with pain and others tempered with
joy. And despite the fact that this
grand old lady looks back longingly
and sometimes tearfully upon the
years of her girlhood, yet with calm
resignation she faces the inevitable
and loves the lines of the bygone
days.This dear old lady makes her home
with a daughter, Mrs. J. H. de Pont-
re-
au, at 10 Aiken avenue. She is
tendered all the love and care that lov-
ing hearts can furnish. Her birthday
is being quietly observed and she ap-
preciates all that is being done for her
comfort and entertainment.

Mrs. Pierre Deslauriers was born May 1, 1805, at Saint-Laurent.

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THE PRIZE DRILL

Won by Corporal Gren-
ier of Company G.The annual individual prize drill of
Company G, Sixth regiment, M. V. M.,
was held at the state armory in West-
ford street last night and the gold
medal was won by Corp. A. H. Grenier.
Sergeant Walter Roberts won the silver
medal.The drill was well attended, 27 men
marching on the floor shortly after
eight o'clock. Lieut. Thomas Doyle
was in command. After being put
through a number of movements there
was a wedding out and after the men
had returned to the floor for the fifth
time there were but five men in the
squad. The five men were Sergt. Rob-
erts, Corp. Grenier, Corp. Grenier, Corp.
Works and Private McLaughlin.After some difficulty the choice was
arrived at and the judges awarded the
medals as above mentioned. Honorable
mention was given to the three other
men in the final squad for their fine
work.The judges were Capt. Philip Mc-
Nulty of Co. M, Ninth regiment; Capt.
Colby T. Kittredge, paymaster, attach-
ed to the Sixth regiment, and Capt.
Louis G. Hutton, commissary, attach-
ed to the Sixth regiment. Capt. Mc-
Nulty made the presentation speeches.
A company drill was given and was
executed with general excellence. Col.
Priest and Maj. Swensen of the Sixth
regiment were present and expressed
themselves as well pleased at the ex-
hibition.

A COTILLION

WAS HELD BY VESTA PHI SIGMA
FRATERNITY.The Vesta Phi Sigma Fraternity
held a cotillion in Associate hall
last night. The party was a violet
party in every sense of the word.
There were violet dresses, violet favors
in the cotillion, while the decorations
were also violet.The general manager was Joseph J.
Higgins, while Matthew J. Dunfee was
the floor director. The dancing began
at 8:15 o'clock and continued until mid-
night, with a brief intermission. The
favors for the cotillion were unusually
pretty. The men wore violet col-
ored hats, while the young ladies got
violet corsages.The cotillion was held by Mr. Higgins
and Miss Ethel Duff.

MASS. MILITIA

RANES FOURTH COMPANY WITH
OTHER REGIMENTS.The regular drill of the Fourth com-
pany of the Massachusetts Militia was
held at the state armory in Westford
street last night. The drill was con-
ducted by Captain J. H. Higgins.The drill was well attended, 27 men
marching on the floor shortly after
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Works and Private McLaughlin.

FIRE ALARM

CAUSED BY FLAME IN MOLLA-
HAN HOUSE.The fire alarm was sounded last night
at 11:15 o'clock by the fire alarm bell
in the Mollahan house, 111 Westford
street. The fire was caused by a flame
in the chimney. The firemen arrived
at the house at 11:30 o'clock and ex-
tinguished the fire. The damage was
estimated at \$100. The fire was caused
by a flame in the chimney. The fire-
men arrived at the house at 11:30 o'clock
and extinguished the fire. The damage
was estimated at \$100. The fire was
caused by a flame in the chimney.If you want help at home or in your
business, try The Sun "Want" column.THE ZION CLUB
Will Have Its Last
Practice TomorrowThe members of the Zion Cricket
club will turn out tomorrow afternoon
for practice on the South Lowell
grounds. This will be the last prac-
tice game before the opening of the
season. The first eleven for the first
three or four games of the season will
be chosen from the players who show
up the best in practice games. In-
cluded in the first few games on the
Zion schedule this year are such teams
as Methuen, last year's champions,
Methuen, East Boston, Cambridge and
Lynn Wanderers.The "Early Day" will be held on the
Zion grounds, May 15, when the Zions
will line up against the Mohawks. This
will no doubt be a keen contest and the
gentlemanly character of cricketers on
both teams will be displayed.
The regular monthly meeting of the
club will be held Wednesday evening,
May 6.On Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock
the Buntings will play the cricket se-
son with an exhibition game on the
Bunting grounds in South Lowell and
the strong Fitchburg team will be
their opponents. The Fitchburg team
has been greatly strengthened over
last year; several new players having
joined them since they were here last.
The visitors are classed as the best
team in the Central Massachusetts
league, and they will undoubtedly play
the game of their life on Saturday as
they are anxious to go through the
season without a defeat. The players
who will represent the Buntings are
as follows: Hugh Rudden, captain;
Jas. Patrick, Herbert Hawley, Walter
Totter, J. H. Hoyle, Geo. Bailey, Wil-
liam Scholtes, Thomas Stockton, Wil-
liam Hingley, J. W. H. Watson, George
Pickup, Reserves, Charles Dyson and
Sam Bart, Umpire, John Barton Allen,
Scorer, John Moss.The Indians and North Billerics will
meet on the crease Saturday afternoon
at Fordway park, North Billerics. The
Indians have been in practice and ex-
pect to pull off victors. The Indians
will line up as follows: Farr, Daly,
Cenlar, Unsworth, McLauren, Daly,
Rourke, Bellfield, Loughlin, Gallagher,
Hardy, McLaughlin, Edwards, Mc-
Mauve.

MAY LOSE HAND

WOMAN PRICKED BLISTER WITH
A BRASS PIN.HAVERHILL, May 1.—Nellie Ogil-
vie was committed to the jail at Law-
rence yesterday to receive surgical
treatment which she needs badly, and
the physicians who have examined her
injuries believe that she is in danger
of losing her left hand, the result of
pricking a blister with a brass pin
which has caused blood poisoning. The
court this morning agreed that the
girl should be kept in the hospital for
a while, a sentence of 20 days being
imposed on a drunkenness complaint.

\$2500 NECKLACE

WAS FOUND IN STREET BY A COAL
MAN.BERLIN, May 1.—A necklace valued
at \$2500, presented to the wife of the im-
perial court tenor, Fritz Kraus, as a
souvenir of his concert tour of the United
States was lost about four years ago.
Yesterday a poor widow went to a jeweler
and asked him to give her a small sum
of money for a lock, because she was
in need of food. The jeweler imme-
diately recognized the value of the neck-
lace and called to the police. The wom-
an explained that a coal man who was
courting her had picked it up in the
street and regarded it as of little value.
He gave it to the widow's little daughter
for a plaything.
Mrs. Kraus read a report of the case in
the newspapers and yesterday identified
the necklace as her property.

HOUDINI'S FEAT

CHAINED, HE JUMPED OVERBOARD
AND FREED HIMSELF.BOSTON, May 1.—Houdini turned the
trick in 9 seconds yesterday noon at
Harvard bridge.
Fully 2000 persons crowded the bridge,
the wall back of Beacon street and along
the parkway to see his sensational plunge
into the Charles river while heavily man-
acled, with his hands bound back
and chained in a manner to prevent him
from throwing them over his head while
taking the plunge.After an inspection of his shackles,
they were put on him by patrolman John
Griffiths of division 2. The signal was
given from a tower, and Houdini went
overboard in from 11 to 15 feet of water.
Various watches caught his time from
the plunge until he came to the surface
with the shackles in his hands, the time
ranging from 8 to 9 seconds. Houdini
said it was 8 seconds, timing himself by
pulse beats.
Among those present on the bridge
were Mayor H. L. Henshaw of this city
and Mayor Wardwell of Cambridge.
Houdini was not a swimmer, however,
and they missed the plunge.

AYER SELECTMEN

MADE POLICE AND FIRE DEPART-
MENT APPOINTMENTS.The selectmen of Ayer have made
the following appointments:
Engineers, Fire Department, Cyril A.
A. Hildreth, C. H. Hardy, H. H.
Hoddy, Night Police, William
Mullins. Forest fire warden, H. H. Hild-
reth.

SUPT. HILDRETH

PRESENTED GOLD WATCH CHAIN
AND CHAIN.Supt. W. O. Hildreth, of the Lowell
Consolidated Street Sweeping Co., who
has resigned his position, was pre-
sented a handsome gold watch and
chain and Masonic chain last night
at a banquet given at the shipping
department, made the presentation
speech. Mr. Hildreth responded and
spoke of the pleasant relations he had
had with the men during the five years
he was superintendent.SOME
SENSIBLE
SEASONABLE
SUGGESTIONSWaists of fine lawn or
batiste, yokes of embroidery
or lace, odd sizes that were
\$1.97, now reduced 97c
toDrawers of good cotton,
umbrella ruffle trimmed with
embroidery or lace, not worth
49c but a big bargain 29c
atWaists of fine lawn or
batiste, trimmed front, back
and sleeves, most of them are
worth \$2.98, this \$1.97
weekWhite cambric petticoats,
lace and embroidery trimmed,
discontinued styles
that were \$1.00 now 69cMost of our \$2.50 and
\$2.97 white petticoats now
reduced to \$1.00White seersucker petticoats
do not require much ironing.
69c, 85c, \$1.00Novelty petticoats in all
the new styles, stripes and
solid colors, very \$1.97
unusual atTailor made waists of lawn
or seersucker in a variety of
styles and trimmings, some
with the new Auto gauntlet
cuff, in some stores \$1.25
and \$1.49, here for 97cPetticoats of sateen, mo-
reen, seersucker or gingham,
most of them were 69c
\$1.00, while they lastAll our lace waists former-
ly priced up to \$4.50, now
marked \$2.97 and \$3.9710 new styles of shirt
waist suits at \$3.50THE WHITE STORE
114—Merrimack Street—116

MANY COMPLAINTS

MAN ACCOSTING WOMEN IN
THE HIGHLANDS.The police have received numerous
complaints from the Highlands, in
the vicinity of Lane, Westford and Liberty
streets, of a man who has been ac-
costing women on the street. The man
is described as being on the street
between nine and eleven o'clock at
night. As a result of the complaints
plain clothes men of the police depart-
ment have been on the lookout for the
man.

SPOKE AT HAVERHILL

Maxime Lupine, representative to
the central executive board of the Ar-
tisans society, Dr. A. G. Payette of this
city, O. A. Bourke of Worcester, or-
ganizer general of the society, and Mr.
Archambault of Montreal, one of the
supreme officers, spoke last night at
the inauguration of a new court of the
society at Haverhill.The Stability
of its foundation;The Reliability
of its news;The Capability
of its staff;These are the things that have com-
bined to make The Lowell Sun what
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LEAGUE SEASON

Was Opened in New England Today

IN FOUR OF THE EIGHT CITIES

Worcester, Lynn, Haverhill, New Bedford

BOSTON, May 1.—The championship season of the New England League of baseball clubs opens today in four of the eight cities holding franchises in the league. Opening ceremonies preceded the game in each city, among which was Worcester, whose team captured last year's pennant. The banner was not unfurled, however, "Pennant day" being arranged for a later date. Today's games were at Worcester, where Fall River was the opposing team, at Lynn, where Lowell played, at Haverhill, where the Lawrence team opened the season, and at New Bedford, where the Brockton nine appeared.

This year, as was the case last season, the league is composed of a circuit confined to Massachusetts cities, although at one time its membership was scattered throughout the New England states.

BAVAR IS GUILTY

Convicted of Murdering Four Persons

CANTON CITY, Colo., May 1.—Anton Bavar was last night found guilty of the quadruple murder of Mrs. Frank Primetto, Tricola Buffetti, Dominic and Joe Minichello, the jury recommending that the defendant be sentenced to life imprisonment in the penitentiary at hard labor.

WORKING GIRLS

TO BE RECEIVED BY PRES. AND MRS. ROOSEVELT

WASHINGTON, May 1.—President and Mrs. Roosevelt will receive at the White House this evening a delegation of six hundred wage-earning young women from seven eastern states, representing the National League of Women Workers now holding its convention in this city.

The young women are here principally on pleasure and little business will be transacted.

Wu Ting Fang, the Chinese minister, among others will address their meetings tonight and tomorrow.

BRUSH FIRE

THREATENED SCHOOL AT GOLDEN COVE

A brush fire supposed to have been started by children at Golden Cove yesterday, burned over two acres and for a time threatened the Golden Cove school building and Stearns' grove. The fire department was called.

LIVELY BLAZE

HOUSE AND BARN BURNED AT BROOKSIDE

The cottage house and barn of Michael L. McGlinchey, situated in Brookside, near the Chelmsford line, were burned yesterday afternoon, a defective chimney causing the fire. The horses, carriages and furniture were all saved. The property is valued at \$4,000.

MARRIAGE INTENTION

Athanasio Plataniotis (widowed), 33, null operative, 482 Market street, and Marie Nanthoulin, 21, null operative, 482 Market street.

Nobby volio dress skirts at Chris Holmes' sal, 148 and 200 Merrimack street.



SKETCH SHOWING HOW THE YOUNG GREEK GIRL WAS PROBABLY SITTING WITH HER FEET THROUGH THE OPENING ON THE BALCONY. THE STAR SHOWS WHERE SHE WAS SITTING ON THE UPPER BALCONY FROM WHICH SHE FELL TO THE RIVER.

FELL INTO CANAL

Greek Girl Meets Tragic Death

HANGING CLOTHES ON BALCONY

Body Recovered Three Hours Later

Heraclia Gervanos, aged 17, residing at 163 Suffolk street, in a district known to the residents of that section as Johnston, accidentally fell into the canal in the rear of her home about 7 o'clock, last evening and was drowned.

MEXICAN SENATE

FAVORS SENDING THREE MINISTERS TO CENTRAL AMERICA. CITY OF MEXICO, May 1.—The senate has approved the appointment of the three ministers to the Central American states and the formal notice has been sent to the department of foreign affairs.

Following are the appointments for the three locations: Minister plenipotentiary to Guatemala and Salvador with residence in Guatemala, Luis G. Parde. Minister plenipotentiary to Honduras with residence in Tegucigalpa, Jose Manuel Gutierrez Zamora. Minister resident to Nicaragua and Costa Rica, Bartolome Carbajal y Rosas, who is now charge d'affaires in the countries of the Atlantic side of South America.

CHAS. LOVERING

Treas. of Merrimack Mfg. Co. Dead

WAS CONNECTED WITH OTHER MILLS

And Trustee of Mass. Inst. of Technology

TAUNTON, May 1.—Charles Lovering, widely known in manufacturing circles and treasurer of the Merrimack Manufacturing Co., died at his home here today. He was connected with many manufacturing corporations and also was a trustee of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. He was 76 years of age.

MISSOURI MEN

LIKELY TO SUPPORT BRYAN FOR PRESIDENT

WASHINGTON, May 1.—Rep. David Deamond of Missouri in an address before the District of Columbia Democratic association last night declared that the people of Missouri look upon William Jennings Bryan as the logical candidate for the presidency and that Missouri's delegates will support him unanimously at the Denver convention.

HEAVY WEATHER

PREVENTED STEAMERS FROM LANDING PASSENGERS

QUEENSTOWN, May 1.—The White Star line steamers Cedric from New

TO LET

TO LET—Newly papered and painted tenement on Mead st., near Whipple. Inquire 16 Floyd st.

TO LET—5-room tenement with bath, hot and cold water, etc., on Mt. Washington st. Inquire at 25 Varney st.

TO LET—Five rooms, pantry, bath, at 40-41 Barclay st., \$11. Apply to The Phillips & Schutz Furniture Co., 332 Middlesex st.

TO LET—At 42 Moody st., a 10-room cottage and stable. Telephone 1935-3.

TO LET—Newly furnished rooms with hot and cold water. Also suite of rooms. Apply at 15 Middlesex st. or 29 Elliott street.

TO LET—To a small, neat American family, a five room tenement in thorough repair, 175 Pleasant st., Braut Navy Yard. Opposite post office, near stores, schools, churches and excellent car service. Price \$8 per month. References required. Apply 216 Westford st., city.

TO LET—9-room upstairs tenement at 55 Tyler st. Apply to Geo. H. Walker, 216 Central st., Care Bartlett & Dwyer.

TO LET—Desirable tenement, 37 South Loring st., 6 rooms, modern improvements, moderate rent. Inquire 11 Nicollet street.

TO LET—Butterfield st., upstairs flat of 8 rooms and bath. Rent \$11. Apply to Henry Miller & Son, 2 Wymann's Exchange.

TO LET—Elegant 7-room ten. on Gloucester street. Every modern convenience, \$22 a month. 5 room ten. on Chelmsford st., 210 a month. 7 room ten. on Grove st., bath, \$18 a month. Eugene G. Russell, 47 Middlesex st., near depot.

TO LET—Tenement of four rooms, will rent low for small family. Inquire 12 Lawrence st.

TO LET—Furnished rooms, good location, rates reasonable. 21 Riverside st., upper bell.

TO LET—A furnished front suite of rooms, suitable for light housekeeping. Inquire 6 Stackpole st.

TO LET—Modern 8-room tenement, 339 Riverside st., Pawtucketville.

TO LET—Furnished room with board, widow with child preferred; would care for child during the day. Write Y. Sun Office.

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Without having any natural means of knowing who you are or what you came for, he tells you who you are and just what you want to know, giving names, dates, faces and features; he tells you of friends, enemies and rivals; tells you whom and when you will marry; in fact, everything. He also advises on business, speculation, investments, insurance, "love," marriage, marriage and divorce, social "jokers," quarrels, the separated causes speech and happy marriage with the one of your choice. A remarkable revelation—"Your greatest wish can be realized." I know how to control and use that power for your success and mine. See him today and you will have nothing to regret on the morrow. Don't delay—delays are dangerous. No fee in advance—none at all unless you are perfectly satisfied. Now are you to be judged? Readings by and \$1. Appointments by phone 1924-5.

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You may have a baby carriage, a piano, a stove, a refrigerator, a desk, a sideboard, a couch, a chamber set, a sewing machine, a carpet, a set of books or any old thing that you want to turn into cash. Why not advertise it in THE SUN classified column? It doesn't cost much. Try it.

York for Liverpool and Clyde, Boston for Liverpool, passed here at three o'clock this morning. Both vessels proceeded without having landed passengers or mail owing to the heavy weather prevailing.

FOR SALE

SINGLE COMB White Leghorns, money back for all unfertilized eggs. These are nice ones, 50c for 12 eggs; also a few birds. Robert Scott, 102 Epping st., Woburn.

FOR SALE—A go-cart with leather hood, at a big bargain. Inquire at Sun Office.

FOR SALE—Kitchen stove, dining room table, kitchen table, bed, baby carriage, spring and mattress, dishes and supplies, only need a month. Apply 1 Conlon's court, Fayette st., East Merrimack st.

FOR SALE—Four to five thousand feet of second hand lumber right here in the city. Suitable for camps, barns, etc. Must be moved at once. Write M. Sun Office.

IMPROVED WHITE LEGHORNS. Varkut strain. The best known layers from a carefully selected brood. Eggs 33 cents per setting of 12. Mrs. Will Bell, 64 Humphrey st., Lowell.

FOR SALE—On Fifth st., large cottage house, with stable, furnace and bath. Apply Alton Miller, 55 Fifth st.

BARRIED PLYMOUTH ROCK eggs for setting 50 cents for 12, from choice stock. Apply W. H. Boyd, 59 Lawrence st.

FOR SALE—A number of hardy canaries and singing birds at a bargain. Call at M. Murphy's, 54 Gorham st. Get one for your home.

FOR SALE—Three good farm or grocery horses right out of the business, weigh from 1200 to 1300 lbs. Reason for selling, no more use for them. 379 Merrimack st.

FOR SALE—Furnished boarding house, will sell cheap, owner leaving city. Inquire 68 East Merrimack st.

FOR SALE—First class meat refrigerator of the latest design with glass front, almost new, will sell on easy terms. Inquire at 42 Hildreth Bldg. or telephone 1383.

FOR SALE—Butcher's ice chest almost new, 2x12 feet, oak finished, will sell cheap. Call Flynn's Market, 157 Gorham st.

WANTED

WANTED—We want your trade for the Lily White Food and Mouth Wash. It is all right. Butler's Drug Store, 391 Middlesex st.

WANTED—Second hand furniture, antique furniture, etc. S. Edwards, 17 Fletcher st. Tel. 1792-5.

WANTED—Rooms papered, \$1.50; rooms painted, \$2.50; whitewashed, 50c. All work guaranteed. Shop address, 41 Lakeview ave., Benard & Mullin.

WANTED—In a private sanitarium in the outskirts of the city, an experienced nurse to attend to patients. Mrs. Blanchard, 683 Pleasant st., Merrimack, Tel.

WANTED—Old fashioned furniture, feather beds. Guarantee to pay double the amount of any other buyer. Send order to P. Weinert & Co., Gun Delivery, Lowell.

WANTED—The people to call at 150 Appleton st. for coal, coke, all kind of stoves and hard wood. Griffin, Tel. 663.

WANTED—We want your trade for dry kindling, hard and slab wood, also coal and coke on hand. Wood Yard, 23 Concord st. Tel. 2173-1.

HELP WANTED

WANTED—A few ladies of business ability for agents and managers. Commission salary and expenses to competent people. Apply from 12 to 6 p. m. to Miss Masters, 115 Appleton st.

THE BASEBALL MAGAZINE wants live collectors. An excellent proposition. Address Mr. Glenister, Room 205, 55 Broad st., Boston, Mass.

TABLE GIRL wanted at 19 Powell st.

WANTED—An experienced seamstress at 15 Merrimack st., Room 6.

CIGAR SALESMAN wanted. Experience unnecessary. \$20 per month and expenses. Forster Cigar Co., Toledo, O.

WANTED—Boy with some experience on soda fountain. Call 21 Anderson st.

WANTED—First class trimmer at once. Apply Boston Millinery Store, 15 Bridge street.

WANTED—Girl service, 100 promises to be an excellent year for appointments. We prepare you at low cost for railway, mail, post office clerks, waiters, and all other examinations. Salaries range from \$10 to \$200 a year. Write today for book and full particulars. Address A. R. C. Sun Office.

Will Paper Your Room for \$2.00

We will paper your room, furnishing the paper and border to match, and hang the same in a first-class manner, for \$2.00. Inside and outside painting, whitewashing, etc. Will cheerfully give an estimate on any work you intend to have done.

BAKER

The New Bakery Phone 1922-4. 25 MIDDLESEX STREET.

SPECIAL NOTICES

RHEUMATISM cured or money refund. Roots, herbs and barks. Write A. L., Sun Office.

MRS. SOULE wishes to inform her customers that she will reopen her boarding house at 39 Cabot st., Sunday, May 2.

LAWN MOWERS sharpened up to date at Harry Gonzales, the cutter, 125 Gorham st., Tel. 932-2.

DO YOU WANT to sell your furniture? The Middlesex Furniture Co. will buy it and pay best price. Send postal or telephone 6141. Also highest price paid for good second hand bicycles.

WONDERFUL DISCOVERY—The most wonderful discovery for the treatment of rheumatism known to science. Purely mechanical. Expert fitters of trusses, abdominal belts, and flat foot supports. Frye & Crockett Drug Co., 41 Merrimack st.

THE SUN IN BOSTON—The Sun is on sale every day at both news stands of the Union station in Boston. Don't forget this when taking your train for Lowell.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Two tenement house with bath and set tubs, on Florence ave. Price \$200. Collins & Hogan, real estate and insurance, Mansur block.

FOR SALE—Two tenement house on Seventh st., 7 rooms in each tenement, with bath. Price \$100. Collins & Hogan, real estate and insurance, Mansur block.

FOR SALE—Two tenement house near Sacred Heart church. Built 3 years, hot and cold water. Price \$300. Collins & Hogan, real estate and insurance, Mansur block.

FOR SALE—Near Rock st., right tenement block first class tenement and in fact class repair inside and out, paying 43 per cent, always rented. Owner going out of town. Write Owner, Sun Office.

FOR SALE—9-room house, all modern, and stable, in the Highlands, \$300. 7-room house in Middlesex Village, \$170. 6-room house, all modern, with stable and 2000 ft. of land, \$350. 3-acre place in Chelmsford Centre, \$300. 3-acre farm with 10 apple trees on it, \$170. J. W. Bruce & Co., 185 Middlesex st.

FOR SALE—2-ten. house and store near West Fourth st. Set tubs, bath, hot and cold water, pantry. Rents for \$12 a year. \$250. Eugene G. Russell, 407 Middlesex st., near depot.

FOR SALE—10-room house near Westford and Lane sts., bath, furnace heat, 400 feet of land. A bargain. Stale, Price \$300. Eugene G. Russell, 407 Middlesex st., near depot.

FOR SALE—1-ten. house near Normal school, 5 rooms to each ten. 140 feet land. Rents for \$40 a year. Price \$400. Slate roof, hardwood floors. Eugene G. Russell, 407 Middlesex st., near depot.

FOR SALE—6-room house with bath, furnace heat, set tubs and laundry, pretty situated near Crescent st. \$200. Eugene G. Russell, 407 Middlesex st., near depot.

FOR SALE—Here's a most attractive house, slightly grounds, superb view and convenient location in Highlands, near Highland Club house. 8 rooms, bath, steam heat, laundry, fireplace. Built on honor, owner must move out of town at once. Make us an offer. Eugene G. Russell, 407 Middlesex st., near depot.

FOR SALE—Nice 8-room house, hot and cold water and bath with two acres of land; 15 minutes' walk from Merrimack sq. Inquire of John McMenamin, 212 Merrimack st.

FOR SALE—Near Chelmsford Centre, house of 7 rooms, barn and henery, 2 acres land. Price \$1500. G. L. Hubbard, 8 Wymann's Exchange.

FOR SALE—Near Varney st., 4 tenement block, always rented. This place can be bought at a bargain. G. L. Hubbard, 8 Wymann's Exchange.

FOR SALE—Near Mammoth Road and Woodard ave., 6 room cottage house, large lot of land. Price only \$1850. G. L. Hubbard, 8 Wymann's Exchange.

FOR SALE—3 miles from Merrimack sq. a nice place for little money, if you want a nice home in the country this is your chance. G. L. Hubbard, 8 Wymann's Exchange.

FOR SALE—In Belvidere and Oaklands, good 8-room house with all the improvements. All in first class repair, large lot of land, some fruit. Price only \$2000. G. L. Hubbard, 8 Wymann's Exchange.

FOR SALE—A fine running, Rembrandt roadster automobile. In best of repair. Will sell this cheap as I have no use for it. \$250. Eugene G. Russell, 407 Middlesex st., near depot.

COTTAGES—2 tenements, backs and building lots, centre and outskirts of city; every price under value; some cash on bargain. M. J. Shaker, Insurance and Real Estate, 115 Suffolk Bldg., 2 Central st. Tel. 1884-1.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Boston terrier, male, brindle and white. Answers to name of "Happy." Reward if found. Anderson, Lowell Garage.

FOUND—Sum of money. Owner may have same by proving property and paying for this adv. at 152 Third st.

LOST—Gent's open faced watch. Return to 35 White st. Reward.

LOST—Sunday evening, either on Amherst or High st. cars, a string of gold beads. Please return to 153 Amherst st.

LOST—Black broom pan. Finder please leave at 32 Royal st.

LOST—A lady's gold watch, hunting case, between Salem st. and the Suffolk mill. Finder will please return to 5 Dane st. Reward.

National Dye House

Harry H. Low. Ladies' and gentlemen's clothing cleaned, dyed, pressed and repaired. 34 Central st. Tel. 167.

CRYSTAL LAKE PICNIC GROUNDS

North Chelmsford

Is an ideal place for boating, swimming and fishing. There have been several new and beautiful beaches placed on the water. The grounds have been put in order and are under the charge of the owner, J. Stenhouse. Church picnics are to be a special feature. For this pleasure resort is one of the best in New England. For further particulars call at 35 Middlesex st., Stenhouse, manager.

A. F. RABOUR

Contractor and Builder.

Bridge st. This spring we are making a specialty of hardwood floors. Take up all old carpet and we will give you a beautiful hardwood floor. Take up or drop as a card, we will give you estimates on your work. Remember the place, 351 Bridge st.

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A Grand Opportunity

BUY A HOME

PUT YOUR MONEY IN THE GROUND.

A run will break the strongest bank, but a run on lots will double their value.

Free Cars LEAVE MERRIMACK SQUARE AT 150 P.M. THURSDAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

Office Open Evenings. Salesmen on the land Sunday.

\$10.00 —Cut Out This Coupon— \$10.00

This Ten Dollar Coupon is Good

FOR FIRST PAYMENT ON ALL LOTS PURCHASED AT THIS WEEK

Pleasantdale

Redeemable at the office, only the checkman on the land.

NAME _____ ADDRESS _____

\$10.00 —EDWARD F. MASSE LAND CO.— \$10.00

60 Merrimack Street

FASHIONABLE LADIES SELECT HERE

Our Waists sell only to women who admire taste, style and good construction. They are made in white, cream and every shade of color, also finest white Brucelle. Made in our own shop, we can serve you at all times, in any size, \$5 to \$12.

SHEPARD

Designer and Maker of Corsets

Up Stairs. 202 Merrimack St. Phone us for appointment in regard to your Spring Suit.

THE AVON CO.

IS VOLUNTARILY CLOSING UP ITS AFFAIRS.

WINDSOR, N. S., May 1.—The Avon Marine Insurance Co., which has been in business more than fifty years, is voluntarily closing up its affairs. Liquidation have been appointed in the persons of President Shaw and J. E. Curran, and the company empowered to transact the business of the company without further action by the stockholders.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

The members of Elreac lodge, I. O. G. T., met at the home of Mrs. James G. L. Durand, 15 Durand street, last night, and enjoyed a series of phonograph selections and readings by Thomas Mack.

FOUND

At 51 West Third street, Iron bed for \$1.50; iron bed, spring and mattress, \$4.50; wood bed, spring and mattress, \$3.75; bureau, no mirrors, \$1.75, \$2.00 and \$2.50; bureau with mirror, \$4.00, \$4.50 and \$5.00; commodes, \$2.75, \$3.00, \$3.25, \$3.50; chamber set as low as \$6.00; lounge, \$2.00. These goods look nearly as well as new. If you want something a little better we have got the goods at 336 and 353 Bridge and 37 West Third Streets.

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OF RARE MERIT

Recital of Pupils of
Miss WhiteHELD AT COLONIAL
HALLFine Program Presented
by Advanced Pupils

The annual recital of the pupils of Miss Carolyn White, the well known teacher of piano, was held in Colonial hall last evening and was one of the most charming affairs of its kind of the season. A large audience was present and the recitatives and friends of the young performers were justly proud of the excellent showing made by the contributors to the highly selected program. The pupils not only demonstrated their personal accomplishments but reflected the artistic training of Miss White. The program was as follows:

Overture, "Post and Peasant".....Suppe
Miss Irene Hogan, Helen Hogan, Amy Lake, Margherita Lennon.
Händel.....Grieg
Butterfly.....Grieg
To Spring.....Grieg
Miss Helen Mitchell.
La Fille aux Châliques.....Raffi
Miss Clara Pelletier.
Valse des Fleurs.....Ketterer
Miss Ida Berkett, Irene Wardell.
Humoresque.....Dvořák
Valse.....Mozart
Miss Edna Dennis.
Overture, "Merry Widow".....Mozart
Misses Harriet Mansur, Gladys McIlwain,
Vernice Bondeau, Mabel Vayle.
Kanczmar-Ostrow.....Rubinstein
Miss Ethel Church.
Concerto in G Minor.....Mendelssohn
Miss Edna Benson.
Accompanied in second piano by Miss White.
Valse in E.....Mozart
Miss Anna Scannell.
Danse des Elfes.....Sapellnikoff
Miss White.
Roy Mac.....Mendelssohn
Misses Emma Cline-Mans, Lucila Conley,
Marie O'Donnell, Helen Bellamy.

Each number was a gem and each was duly appreciated while the ensembles as well as the solo numbers were most artistically performed. The opening overture "Post and Peasant" performed

by Misses Irene Hogan, Helen Hogan, Amy Lake and Margherita Lennon, was exquisitely done and the number made a charming selection with which to open the program.

Perhaps the hit of the program was Mendelssohn's concerto in G Minor played by Miss Edna Benson, one of Miss White's more advanced pupils and a partner of rare promise. Another very attractive number was that contributed by Miss Edna Dennis of Pepperell. But then all the numbers were excellent and both Miss White and the pupils deserve the highest praise for the artistic success of the affair. Misses Ruth Howard, Ruth Melander and Marjorie Edwards Murphy and Wilfred Boulger distributed flowers and Misses Dora Wolcott, Ethel Church, Ethel Kerr and Florence Knowlton acted as ushers.

PATRICK LENNOX

IS INVOLVED IN HIS SON'S DEBTS.

BOSTON, May 1.—Patrick Lennox, who came to this country a poor boy, is in his old age threatened with bankruptcy and the loss of a fortune estimated at several millions.

Mr. Lennox who is 82 years old, has been declared by a referee involved in the tangles of the firm of P. Lennox & Co. of Lynn.

But the aged man, from a sick bed, asserts that he presented his son, James P. Lennox, with the business, and therefore, cannot be held accountable for \$250,000 debts.

To save his name from bankruptcy this old man has fought desperately for the past eight months, testifying from a sick bed in the hope of saving his personal fortune from the grasp of creditors.

Unless Judge Dodge of the United States district court sets aside the findings of William Perry, the referee in bankruptcy, Patrick Lennox will again find himself as poor as he was 70 years ago, when he came to this country a penniless immigrant boy.

"MERRY WIDOW"

NEW YORK, May 1.—Edward J. Maguire, chairman of the parade committee of the Catholic celebration which will manage the big procession of the thirty up Fifth avenue tomorrow, sent out last night the tickets for those who will have grand stand seats. With each ticket there was this formal injunction:

"Ladies should wear small hats."

The request was printed in large type.

Workmen have been busy all the week building a huge grand stand around the west, north and south sides of the cathedral.

DIVISION 28 A.O.H. YOUNG KENNY

Observed 24th Anniversary
Last Night

The 24th anniversary of Division 28, A. O. H., was held at Hibernian hall last night. The attendance was large and the event was celebrated in an appropriate manner. President John Cotter occupied the chair. Edward P. Slattery and Hugh McDonald delivered interesting addresses. The remainder of the program was as follows: Recitation, James Connelley; song, Peter Clancy; song, Patrick Kane; song, Michael Beardon; recitation, Denis Healy. Letters of regret were read from James O'Sullivan and County President Donnelly. The reports of the officers showed the division in a flourishing condition at the present time. A class initiation will be held in the near future. Remarks were heard from the presidents of the other three divisions.

FOUR ROLLED

IN THE KNOCKOUT TOURNAMENT LAST NIGHT.

Four men rolled in the knockout tournament on the Bridge Street Bowldway last night. Sweat and Simpson winning. In the knockout at the Crescent alleys in Hurd Street O'Brien and Merritt won out.

BRIDGE STREET TOURNAMENT.

	1	2	3	4
Sweat	87	88	85	290
D. Simpson	81	73	90	244
Totals	168	161	175	503
R. Simpson	87	78	75	240
H. Jones	85	90	85	260
Totals	172	168	160	500

CRESCENT KNOCKOUT.

	1	2	3	4
Simmons	80	78	85	243
Keefe	81	73	109	263
Totals	161	151	194	506
O'Brien	83	82	89	254
Merritt	91	86	83	260
Totals	174	168	172	514

PLENTY OF SNOW

FELL IN THE CIEY OF BUFFALO LAST NIGHT.

BUFFALO, May 1.—Seven inches of snow fell here last night. Today opened with the sun shining brightly and the snow disappearing fast.

YOUNG KENNY

Fought a Draw With
Johnny Dohan

NEW YORK, May 1.—In the six-round windup at the Olympic A. C. last night Johnny Dohan and Young Kenny of Lawrence fought a draw. In every round the boxers were active, and the crowd cheered both for their willingness and clean-cut work. Kenny's left hand for the face were followed by stiff body punches. Dohan used both hands well in attacks on his opponent's body.

Jack Carley beat Jack Hendricks in four rounds. Kid Burns defeated Joe Donovan, Willie Jones defeated Skale Stevenson, and Young Kid Brown won from Andy Williams in the six-round semisemi-finals.

"SANDY" WON

HE WAS TOO MUCH FOR HARRIS.

PHILADELPHIA, May 1.—Sandy Ferguson of Boston won from Morris Harris of this city in the windup at the Broadway A. C. last night. Ferguson had something on Harris in almost every round, hitting harder and cleaner than he did. But while Sandy won by a big margin Harris was in real danger only in the third round, when he took a count of seven.

When Harris entered the ring his hands were bandaged with tape. Ferguson did not like this and he made a kick to his manager, who requested Harris to take the tape off. This Harris refused to do. Ferguson then said he would not go on unless it was taken off; either that or he would also bandage his hands. The dispute was finally settled by Sandy doing up his own hands in tape.

Ferguson dropped Harris in the first round with a hard right to the mouth, and after sparring around the ring he dropped him again. Ferguson had the best of the second and third rounds. Both men seemed to tire in the fourth, and just started around the ring, doing little damage. Harris was holding on at the end of the fourth.

Harris made a rally in the sixth round, sending Ferguson to the ropes, but the latter was game and easily his own.

IDLE WILDERS

HELD SUCCESSFUL SOCIABLE IN PRESCOTT HALL.

The Idle Wild campers, a well-known club of young men hailing from the Acra district who own a camp on the banks of the Merrimack, held their 3d post Easter party in Prescott hall last evening and it was a grand success both socially and financially. The dancing started promptly at 8 o'clock and it was enjoyed until midnight when the twenty numbers had been gone through.

About four hundred took part in the dancing music being furnished by Kittredge's singing orchestra. The success of the affair was partly due to

P. A. HOLTON,
General Manager.

the untiring work of General Manager Patrick A. Holton. Matthew J. Gill acted as his assistant. Frederick C. Baril was one of the directors. Patrick J. Shanahan was the assistant floor director. Joseph A. Malone was the chief aid and he had as his assistants the following young people:

Alfred, Edward Gilligan, May McCas-Able, Henry Tiche, Eugene Leland, Timothy O'Neil, May Gill, Jennie-Lee, John Morris, Edward Holland, Sadie Shanahan, Nellie Hurley, James Brown, Eva Wedge, Walter Tucker, Ella Cox, Frank Collins, John Callahan, Loreta Corrigan, Lena Marr, Robert Carr, Joseph Crowe, Nicholas Coughlin, Thomas Tobin, Adelaide Dlotte, Stephen Healey, Frank McCaffrey, Sadie Howe, James Spring, Thomas Keating, Della McVey.

Reception committee: Walter Shanahan, Ruby Collins, Dora Dlotte, Edward Sullivan, Frank White, Margaret Healey, treasurer, Cornelia Herley.

DANGEROUS MEN

Arrested by the Paris Police

PARIS, May 1.—A dispatch from Lieben said the police arrested seven dangerous revolutionists during three days previous to the opening of parliament. Three revolutionists were found in a house in the Avenue Dom Carlos, through which the royal procession was due to pass.

Lowell, Friday, May 1, 1908.

A. G. POLLARD CO.

The Store for Thrifty People.

Great Underprice Suit Sale

Commencing Today

New suits, just delivered to us from our manufacturers, the latest, the most desirable styles and materials, at great concessions in prices.

This great suit event is the result of the closing of the suit season by several makers. Their stocks of foreign worsteds, fine serges and mixtures being reduced to one or two suits of a pattern, they are willing to take great losses for the sake of an absolute clearance.

We have secured about 75 of these suits in cloth that warrant much higher prices and pass them on at the same rate of discount.

Special Values at \$10, \$15, \$18.50, \$25.

WEST SECTION

SECOND FLOOR

Excellent Values in Men's Wear

WORTHY GOODS—RIGHT FOR FASHION

Spring Weight Underwear, special fine jersey ribbed, medium weight, full finished, all sizes; shirts 34 to 50; drawers 30 to 45. This lot subject to slight imperfections. Regular price \$1.00...75c per garment.

Broken Lot, About 15 dozen Worsteds Ribbed Shirts and Drawers; shirts satin faced, French neck, pearl buttons; drawers jean faced, French back strap, suspender tape, covered seams. Regular price \$1.0069c, 4 Garments \$2.50

Fine Cashmere Shirts and Drawers in white and camel's hair color, fine finish, all sizes; 34 to 50 shirts; 30 to 50 drawers. Just the weight for now. At the same price—our special50c

Hosiery. Black and Tan Double Sole. Heel and Toe, fast colors. Special value, 15c, 6 Pairs for 50c

Shirts for large men. New patterns in madras and Matopola cloth, made extra large in body, sleeve and length. No extra charge for the size. 50c and \$1.00

Our line of Neelgee Shirts for spring is full of good things—just in. Fit, fabric and finish the best to be had at the prices. Have a look before buying. 50c, \$1.00, \$1.50 and \$2.00

Night Shirts and Pajamas. New lines just in. Made up in best manner, quality always the best. Night Shirts39c to \$1.00

Pajamas\$1.00 to \$3.00

EAST SECTION

SECOND FLOOR

Special

50 bunches of Cuban Bananas, large and ripe fruit, only10c a Dozen

10 crates of large nice Pineapples, only 10c Each

Avenue Subway

Tea and Coffee

FOR 75c—5 lbs. Sugar
1 lb. Coffee
1/2 lb. Tea
1 box Cocoa
1 can Milk
Try JELL-O. We've a notable display.
Merrimack Street Basement

SPECIAL NOTICE

We've just purchased a Shoe Stock—that of C. M. Josselyn of Roxbury. It includes Men's, Women's, and Children's Footwear in medium and low priced grades. We'll offer some unusual values in a few days.

BASEMENT BARGAINS

Of Unusual Interest For the First Shopping Days of May

SALE OF HIGH GRADE BED SPREADS.

Satin finish and Marcellite. 200 high grade Bed Spreads, slightly imperfect in the mill. Best quality of Marcellite and satin finish in very handsome designs. Spreads worth \$3 to \$6 each. Damage is very small and will not impair the wear. Our price to close this small lot\$1.89 Each

20 pieces of fine Bleached Linen Damask, wide, in very nice patterns, good heavy quality. 35c value, at 42c Yard

Fine Mercerized Damask, in wide, very nice soft quality, 50c value at39c Yard

One case of best quality of Diaper cloth, remnants, all widths, 18 to 26 inches, only5c Yard

Special value in Black Mercerized Satene, 36 inches wide, nice silky finish, 25c value at 15c Yard

10 pieces of 30 inches wide Black Moreen for undershirts, 25c value at15c Yard

Extra good value in Summer Comforters at \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50

Light Weight Bed Blanket, 11-4 size, just the kind for summer camp, only79c Pair

Best quality of Bates' gingham in all new patterns, stripes, checks and plain12c Yard

Yard wide Manchester Percale remnants in light colors only, very nice patterns for shirt waist suits, dresses and waists, the value at 11c Yard

New lot of White Goods, checks and stripes in remnants, 12c value at7c Yard

1 case of good Bleached Cotton yard wide, nice 8 ft finish, 10c value at7c Yard

Remnants of Linene Suiting, nice substitute for linen, will wash well, 12c value6c Yard

Linene Suiting, white and colors, just the kind used for summer dresses and suits, 15c value at 8c Yard

Some good values in Dress Goods, Cashmere, Poplin, Cloth, Mohair, and all wool dress goods at 25c, 20c and 39c Yard

GOOD BARGAINS IN HOSIERY AND UNDERWEAR

Ladies' Cotton Hose, black, printed, plain black, brown, plain and lace effect, 12c value, 9c Pair, 3 Pairs 25c

Ladies' Hose, plain black fine finish, plain brown and lace black, extra size, black embroidered and black with white feet, 15c value at 12c Pair

Ladies' Black Cotton Hose, seconds of the 10c quality, 7c Pair, 4 Pairs for 25c

Children's Fine Ribbed Hose, black and tan, double heel, best value at12c Pair

Children's Ribbed Hose, seconds of the 12c quality, 9c Pair, 3 Pairs for 25c

Infants' Hose, cotton and worsted, silk heel and toe, 10c value, 12c Pair

Ladies' Jersey Shaped Vests, high and low neck, short sleeves; also straight vest, sleeveless and short sleeves, 15c value, 12c Each

Ladies' Shaped Vests, jersey, regular and extra size, high and low neck, long and short sleeves, 25c value at19c

Ladies' Jersey Undershirt Pants, fine quality, lace trimmed, 25c value at19c

Ladies' Balbriggan Vests, white and extra, short and long sleeves, 25c value at19c

Children's Jersey Vests and Pants, vest low and high neck, short sleeves and sleeveless; lace trim, 25c value at10c

SPECIAL VALUES IN OUR MEN'S DEPARTMENT

Men's Cotton Tan Hose, only 5c Pair

Men's Tan Hose, full seamless, 12c quality10c Pair

Men's Black Cotton Hose, light and heavy weight, seconds of 12c quality, 7c Pair, 3 for 25c

Men's Fancy Hose, black, tan and gray, stripes and embroidered, 15c value at12c Pair

Men's Jersey Ribbed Underwear, extra and blue, double seated drawers25c

Men's Jersey Underwear, extra, brown and blue, seconds of the 50c quality, only39c Each

Men's Balbriggan Underwear, 50c value at45c

Very good value in Men's and Boys' Neelgee Shirts, made of woven madras, only33c Each

1 lot of Boys' Shirts, made of good printed cheviot, 39c value at25c

BOYS' CLOTHING SPECIAL

Boys' Knee Pants, cheviot, all wool, good worsted and corduroy, made with tape seams and sirone, 50c Pair

Some extra good values in Wash Suits, all new goods of the season, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$2.00

At 25c we offer the best value in Boys' Shirts, made of corded madras, gingham and black sateen, only 25c Each

Boys' Caps at low prices: 19c value at 10c; the value at 15c; 39c value at 25c.

Crawford

Cooking-Ranges

Miss Hope, who was Principal of the Boston Cooking School for 17 years, says:

"I consider the Crawford the best of them all. It uses less coal and gives a more even heat than any range I ever saw."

The Crawford has more improvements than all other ranges combined: Single Damper (patented); Patented Dock-Ash Grates; Cup-Joint Oven Flues; Asbestos-Back Oven; Reliable Oven Indicator.

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Summer Weight Underwear

NOW is the time to look over your Summer Underwear and lay in a new supply. Light and airy underwear is the basic secret of comfort during the hot weather. We are all prepared to meet the needs of the most exacting man.

Imported French Balbriggan

Underwear. This is a line of which we are proud. Make and finish are the finest found anywhere. Many stores ask \$1.50 for the garment which we sell at 98c

French Balbriggan Underwear

Made of combed Egyptian cotton 75c

Jersey Ribbed Union Suits

Either long or short sleeves, warranted to suit any fancy. Regular \$1.25 69c

Emerson Shoes—Arrow Brand Collars—Lamson & Hubbard Hats

Genuine French Balbriggan

And Sea Island Cotton Underwear. Shirts made long and short sleeves. Drawers regular and stout. Colors ecru, black or gray 48c

Jersey Ribbed and Balbriggan

Underwear, finished with silk stitching and pearl buttons. Drawers double seated, in regular and stout sizes 38c

Merino and Balbriggan Underwear

Double seated drawers. Sleeves on shirts long or short. Regular 50c 25c

The indications are that it will be fair and cooler tonight. Saturday fair; fresh westerly winds.

ESTABLISHED 1878

LOWELL, MASS. FRIDAY, MAY 1, 1908

PRICE ONE CENT

NIGHT EDITION

LICENSE MONEY

The lower branch of the state legislature today resumed consideration of the measure to turn over to the state cities an amount for license fees. Rep. Waker of Brockton, had offered an amendment to the bill that the state received each year fifty per cent. of the amount taken in for license fees by the cities and towns, and when a vote was taken this amendment was passed by a majority of six votes. The Lowell men voted as follows: In favor, Reps. O'Donnell, Kittredge, Greenwood and Varum; against, Reps. Mehan and Conley.

THE UNEMPLOYED

Men in two, three and five great big bunches called at Mayor Farnham's office today looking for work. Some put it up good and strong to the mayor. They allowed that in the event of the big sewer jobs in the Oaklands and in Wigganville not opening up for three or four weeks at best, and perhaps two months, that the street department should get busy and put them to work. Mayor Farnham assured them that he would do all in his power to assist them and he also assured them that the superintendent of streets would do his part. His Honor sent for Mr. Morse and they talked the matter over.

The street department has a great deal of work mapped out, but in the majority of cases, plans have not been perfected, which might mean that certain petitions have not been finally passed upon, or that they are only in the sprouting age.

Take for instance the job in Central street. A loan order asking for \$15,000 for paving Central street has passed the city council, but Mr. Morse says he will not be able to reach the work before July 1, because of the fact that the water department, the gas company and the telephone and telegraph people have worked to do there and they will have to get done and vamoose before the street department can start in.

There are other jobs, however, that Mr. Morse hopes to be able to reach in a week or two. There's the petition to smooth pave Westford street with Hazzam pavement, acknowledged the superior of all pavements for a street of the character of Westford street, and while that petition has been held up by the com-

LOWELL CLAIMANTS

Four residents of this city are in high feather over the fact that their claim has been proven beyond a doubt that they are heirs to a fortune of \$120,000,000.

The lucky four are Erson A. Barlow of 35 Smith street, who was republican candidate for the legislature last fall; Irving Barlow who keeps the paper store on the Chelmsford street bridge; and Misses Sadie and Lizzie Barlow of 15 Coral street, one other member of the family Eugene Barlow lives in Norwood, N. Y.

While the members of the Barlow family have been aware of the fact that they were heirs to the fortune they have not previously made the fact public and did not decide to do so until they read in The Sun of last Wednesday the following despatch from Worcester:

"WORCESTER, April 25.—Albert Springer of this city has gone to Syracuse in an effort to establish his claim as one of about 100 heirs to an estate said to be worth \$120,000,000 left by Baron Christopher Springer, who came to this country in the service of the British government in the days prior to the revolution. He died about 130 years ago, and it is claimed he had a clear title to the land on which the city of Wilmington, Del., is now built."

Notice to the Public

To whom it may concern: Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has sold and disposed of the business heretofore carried on by him at Market street, Lowell, Mass., and this day retires therefrom.

All persons having bills due them heretofore contracted in said business, and all persons owing bills thereon are requested to present the same or make payments thereon to the undersigned.

JOHN LENNON,
Lowell, Mass., May 1, 1908.

Interest Begins
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SAVINGS DEPARTMENT.

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TRAIN HELD UP

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"Mr. Cleveland remains at the Lakewood hotel in Lakewood, N. J., although the house closed for the season ten days ago. His wife and children are the only other guests."

"A physician and nurses are in constant attendance and a small number of servants have been retained to look after the Cleveland family."

"Efforts to confirm the Evening World's statement that Mr. Cleveland is suffering from cancer and that his condition is critical, are unavailing owing to the extreme reticence observed by all connected with the case since the beginning of the former president's illness."

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Included in the afternoon's entertainment was a literary and musical program.

IRISH LEAGUERS

ARE URGED TO SUPPORT WINSTON CHURCHILL

DUNDEE, May 1.—Winston Spencer Churchill, president of the board of trade, whose recent failure to be returned to parliament from the north-west division of Manchester has forced him to seek a "safe" seat, arrived here today to contest the vacancy caused by the elevation to the peerage of Edmund Robertson. Churchill has a well organized opposition to fight, but it will require a big turn over of votes to defeat him. The unionist candidate, Sir George Baxter, has a powerful local influence and the labor candidate, G. H. Stuart, while a novelty in this country, is an out and out prohibitionist.

E. Scrymgeour of the United Irish league, is urging the Irish voters to give their complete support to Mr. Churchill on the ground that Premier Asquith has adopted Mr. Churchill's pledges at Manchester regarding home rule for Ireland as representing the policy of the government.

NEW ENGINE

IS NOT PROTECTED AGAINST FIRE

Despite the fact that the new engine recently installed in the lower boiler yard pumping station will pump all the water for the city of Lowell, including, of course, water for fire service, it is not itself protected against fire and in order to correct this wrong the water department will lay 2500 or 3000 feet of pipe from the end of the eight-inch main in the boulevard to the pumping station where a hydrant will be located.

LINCOLN TABLET

ASSOCIATION OFFERS TO SUBSCRIBE TO FUND.

Supl. Whitcomb is in receipt of a circular from the Lincoln Association, which is a national association, apprising him of the association's willingness to subscribe to a Lincoln tablet in the Lincoln school in this city. The association assists in the placing of Lincoln tablets in all of the schools throughout the country bearing the name of Father Abraham.

DIVISION 28

WILL HOLD A BIG CLASS INITIATION.

Division 28, A. O. H., of which Councilman John Cotter is the hustling president has decided to hold a big class initiation early in July which will eclipse anything previously held by any local division.

HAD A FIT.

Patrick Shea, residing at 115 Cambridge street, was seized with a fit while passing through Central street this noon. The ambulance was summoned and he was removed to St. John's hospital.

IT IS JUST AS REASONABLE

for a cripple to refuse crutches, as for you to postpone the use of glasses when they are indicated.

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BOSTON, May 1.—By the arrest of Luigi Rarulia today the police believe they have captured the last of a trio of Italians who are alleged to have been luring fellow countrymen to Swampscott by offering to give them employment there and then to have robbed them under threat of death if resistance was offered. It is charged that Rarulia and his accomplices, whose names are said to be Pasquale Todeco and Machelino Todeco, have robbed a number of Italians in this manner of various sums of money on several different occasions. It is alleged that in each case they told their victims that if they informed the police their houses would be burned. On their last expedition made on Friday night last one of the men they took to Swampscott and led to a lonely place, put up a fight. This man, Carline Iula, is said to have stabbed one of the robbers, who is now in a hospital. During the fight the robbers fired two shots without effect. The third robber was later arrested in Swampscott. Rarulia was released from the state prison at Charlestown only a few months ago after serving a three years' sentence for assault and robbery and assault with intent to kill a son of Mrs. Rosetti. The Boston and Swampscott police departments and the state police have been working on this case for several weeks.

COPS DRILLING

DID THEIR STUNT AT HIGH SCHOOL ANNEX THIS AFTERNOON.

"Hay foot, straw foot, bunions, corns and 'kidney feet'."

The night police in charge of Lieutenant Brosnan had another drill in the High school annex this afternoon. They were put through all sorts of marching stunts and the perspiration flew right merrily as they proceeded.

HIGHEST HONORS

SHANGHAI, May 1.—Sir Robert Hart, chief of the maritime customs service of China left today for Europe on a year's leave of absence. He has received the highest honors from the Chinese government and he was given a hearty send-off today by the foreign as well as the prominent Chinese residents of Shanghai.

THE COSMETIC VALUE

of correctly prescribed lenses and properly fitted glasses is far greater than cream and rubbing.

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SEIZED CONSUL

CITY OF MEXICO, May 1.—It is rumored here that Juan Barrios, Guatemalan minister of foreign affairs, at the head of a body of troops late yesterday entered the residence of the consul general of Uruguay and seized Honduran Consul Gen. Mindez and his son who had taken refuge there during the day. The Uruguayan consul was absent when the house was surrounded by troops and the seizure made. As soon as he heard of the affair he fled to the American legation where he is now a refugee.

The capital of

JOYCE LICENSE

Is Still Held in the Balance

HEARING HELD YESTERDAY

F. T. Callahan Reinquishes License

A hearing on the application of the Charles H. Joyce Co., for a first and fourth class common victualler and retail dealers' license was held by the police board behind closed doors yesterday afternoon. At the conclusion of the hearing the board announced that no decisive action had been taken.

J. P. McCauley, representing the Rex Distilling company, argued against the granting of the license as did William A. Hogan, representing a Baltimore concern. Francis W. Qua, representing the Star Brewing company, of Boston, appeared in favor of granting the

license. Mr. Joyce was represented by Lawyer Thomas J. Enright. The Washington tavern license was taken out shortly after three o'clock in the afternoon and it was about 5.30 o'clock when John J. McLaughlin took out the Waverly hotel license. Francis T. Callahan and James Gavan, Francis T. Callahan & Co., who secured a license at 175 Lakeview avenue and 1 and 3 Coburn street, appeared before the board and said that they did not wish to take out the license that had been granted to them. The board voted to rescind the vote whereby such license was granted and the board voted unanimously to grant a license to Patrick P. Cox and S. D. Cox, Cox & Co., 237-243 Adams street and 21 Cross street. The Merrimack house license was laid on the table.

THE PIPER CLUB

GAVE FINE ENTERTAINMENT AT ODD FELLOWS HALL.

The members of the Piper club of the First Presbyterian church presented "The Docteur's Slap" skit, a very pleasing entertainment at Odd Fellows hall, Middlesex street, last night. The affair was under the auspices of Lowell Lodge, K. of P., and was well attended. Edward D. B. Smith was pianist and directed the entertainment. The program was as follows: Opening chorus, "Hail Smiling Morn," by the skit, solo and chorus, "Goshen Jubilation," Miss Olive Fleming, solo, "Mona, My Own Love," Mr. R. H. Muir, chorus, "My Old Kentucky Home," by the skit, reading, "When I Was a Little Girl," Miss Blanche Griffith, solo and chorus, "Poor Old Joe," Mr. John McLaughlin, round.

"Three Blind Mice," by the skit, reading, "The Little Woman," Miss Nellie Campbell, song, "Jack and Jill," Miss Sadie Wilson, trio, "Ye Shepherds, Tell Me," Messrs. Muir, Houston and McLaughlin, song, "Yankee Doodle Dandy," Master Thomas Rodger, song, "It's Good Enough for Washington, It's Good Enough for Me," Mr. Geo. T. McElroy, solo and chorus, "Our Jack's Coming Home Today," Mr. Robert T. Houston, song, "My Grandma's Advice," Mrs. Jennie Rodger, reading, "The Merry Widow," Mrs. Maud Barriat, duet, "Joshua and Rachel," Miss Charlotte Mary H. Skell and Master Herbert Evans, song, "Hail Be the Mayor of Dracut in the Sweet Bye and Bye," Mr. Wm. D. Leggett, reading, "A Young Woman," Miss Nellie Campbell, duet, "Seeing Nellie Home," Miss Grace Smith and Mr. Muir, song, "A Little Farm," Messrs. Muir, Smith and McLaughlin, finale, "The Star Spangled Banner," by the skit.

At 11.15 general dancing was started and continued until midnight. Peace & Griffin's orchestra furnishing the music. The officers of the affair were: Joseph D. Day, general manager; Joseph D. Day, general manager; Frederick Conroy, secretary; George E. Swann, treasurer. The dance committee consisted of Joseph Fleming, floor director; Frederick Conroy, assistant floor director; aids, Philip Holland, Edward Smith, John Usher and Sydney Bowen.

The ushers were: Captain Charles Peters, First Lieut. Harry Bowen, Second Lieut. John Usher, Dr. Edwin Lawson, Lester O. Mason, Martin Cohen and Joseph Dunn.

Cut price sale on silk raincoats, suits, jackets, skirts, etc., today and Saturday. Chris. Holmes', 198 and 200 Merrimack street.

SCORES DIVORCE

Cardinal Logue Speaks Strongly on Subject

NEW YORK, May 1.—Divorce was scored by Cardinal Logue of Ireland yesterday in an address given in connection with the centenary celebration of the New York diocese.

"Never can the Catholic church yield on the divorce question," he said, speaking before the laity in Carnegie hall.

"This position of the church is the great safeguard for the republic, for it is necessary to stick to these principles in order to secure the sanctity and the integrity of the family."

PROSPERITY DANGEROUS.

"What I am to say," he continued, "is not meant in any spirit of criticism, I hope that you will believe, but there is danger that so much prosperity might in some way corrupt the people of America, and the antidote to that poison could well be found in the following of the principles of the Catholic religion. I am informed that in different states there are differing laws on divorce."

Then Cardinal Logue paid a tribute to America, saying:

"I have always had a great admira-

tion for this wonderful republic of the west. It has been the haven of hope for those of my race whom want has driven from the land of their birth.

"I see your devotion to your church in the great outpourings that have characterized this week of celebration. I see it in the magnificent temple you have reared to the memory of him who gave the faith to Ireland.

"I see it in a dozen different ways. And it would be well if those among us on the other side of the water who have grown lukewarm, or lacking in zeal, from time to time could make a pilgrimage to this land of promise and realize some of the enthusiasm of your priests and of your laity."

Sale on ladies' and misses' suits today and Saturday. Chris. Holmes', 198 and 200 Merrimack street.

ASKS DIVORCE

MAN NAMES HIS COACHMAN AS CORRESPONDENT.

NEW YORK, May 1.—His wife's excessive interest in their colored coachman by Henry Johnson Lord's reason for bringing action against his wife for divorce.

The coachman, Harry Cameron, is named as correspondent.

Mr. Lord is wealthy, has a big country place in Nichols, another in Monroe, and owns a stock farm near Kansas City, Mo.

Mrs. Lord is a beautiful Southern girl, Emeline Emmanuel, one of the famous Emanuel family of Virginia. The petitioner's side of the action was tried yesterday afternoon in the superior court before Justice Robinson. Mrs. Lord denies the allegations.

THE BIG SHOP

STILL FURTHER REDUCES TIME SCHEDULE.

The Lowell Machine shop is running on a 24-hour a week schedule. Up to day and Saturday. Chris. Holmes', 198 and 200 Merrimack street.

along five days a week, but from now on the employees, what's left of them, will quit on Thursday and will not return to work again until Monday.

Sale on ladies' and misses' suits today and Saturday. Chris. Holmes', 198 and 200 Merrimack street.

Frankel & Goodman Corp.

Seasonable Clothing On Credit

THERE'S NO BETTER WAY of providing for your clothing needs than by the use of our Credit System.

The high quality of the goods, the low prices asked, combined with the privilege of paying in small weekly payments make it the only sensible way to buy.

WHY NOT OPEN YOUR ACCOUNT TODAY?

MEN'S SPRING SUITS	LADIES' TAILORED SUITS,
\$10 to \$27	\$10.50 to \$30
MEN'S TOP COATS,	TRIMMED HATS,
\$9 to \$22	\$1.98 to \$15

FRANKEL & GOODMAN CORP. 78 Middlesex St.

What Push and Good Clothes Will Do

A Record At the Talbot Store—

A Record We are Proud of—

March and April 1908 Showed An Increase Over March and April 1907

WE are proud of our record—but push and bargains did it. We are giving more for the money than any other clothing store in Massachusetts—What other clothing store shows such a record? We don't believe another in New England. We've advertised freely and we have sold goods cheap, but the result is most pleasing.

Read These Values Carefully,
Then Read Them Again---'Twill Pay

The Gold Bond Suit

The greatest suit in the world for the money—warranted fast color, all wool and worsted—not a thread of cotton in it—it will hold free from any cotton or shoddy—strongly and serviceably made.

We sell these suits and deliver each purchaser a GOLD BOND agreeing to give a new suit or twelve dollars and fifty cents in gold, to any purchaser of our Gold Bond Suit, whose purchase does not prove as warranted, upon return of said suit with the Gold Bond (properly dated) before Aug. 1, 1908.

The Gold Bond Suit. A \$20 Suit for the low price of **\$12.50**

All Sizes, 34 to 50 Breast. Regulars, Stouts and Longs.

The Glengarriff Blue Serge Brown Fancy Worsted Suits

The Glengarriff Blue Serge—A fabric made to our order by a leading mill. The Glengarriff Serge Suit is equal to any twenty dollar serge sold in New England. We have decided to do the blue serge business of Lowell. We have had this Glengarriff Serge made for us, and have had the suits produced on the newest Single Breasted and Double Breasted models. They are carefully made and properly trimmed, and are equal to any twenty dollar blue serge suit ever sold in Lowell. Ask for the Glengarriff Blue Serge.

The Glengarriff Blue Serge—A \$20 Serge Suit for **\$14.75**

All Sizes, 34 to 50 Breast. Regulars, Stouts and Longs.

The sensational suit bargain of the season—The suits that have set all Lowell talking—The suits have brought hundreds of new customers to our store. Every week the sale increases, every week we buy new lots to take the place of those sold out. This week we have several new lots, new browns, new patterns, new colorings, strictly all wool worsteds, finely made and trimmed, the same class of goods that are being shown about town at \$15 and \$18—And they are worth it—Ask for our new special brown suits.

New Brown Worsted Suits, in several patterns. A \$15 Worsted Suit for **\$9.75**

Fine Spring Suits The cream of this year's production, choice fabrics, elegant colorings, superb tailoring, the latest correct styles in men's and young men's models. The finest from Hart, Schaffner & Marx and our own workrooms. Suits that will compare with the best custom tailor work, at **\$20, \$22, \$25, \$28**

CHILDREN'S DEPARTMENT

We are doing an enormous business in children's clothes—we are sweeping Lowell with values and the baseball proposition we are offering.

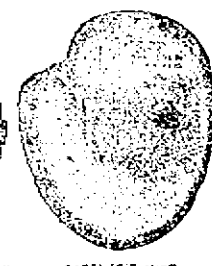
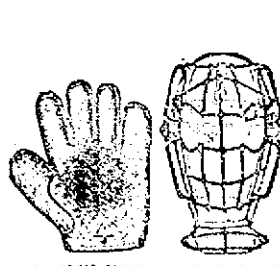
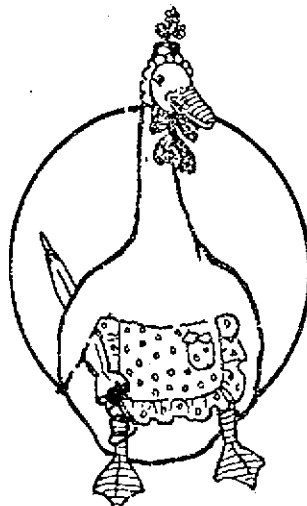
RUSSIAN BLOUSE SUITS \$2.50, \$3.50, \$3.75, \$5, \$6 and \$7
SAILOR SUITS \$2.50, \$3.50, \$3.75, \$5, \$6 and \$7
KNEE PANT SUITS \$2.50, \$3.50, \$4, \$5, \$6 and \$7

KNICKERBOCKER SUITS—With or Without Belt.

\$3, \$3.50, \$3.75, \$5, \$6, \$7, \$8, \$9, \$10, \$12

JUVENILE REEFERS AND TOP COATS

To our boy friends buying here: We present each purchaser of \$3.50 or upwards in our boys' department a Ball, Glove or Mitt; with each purchase of \$5 or over any TWO of them or a heavy white catcher's mask.



We Will Send on Application, Free, Our Mother Goose Folder.

ASH BAT

SUMMER SHIRTS

Eagle Shirts in the new summer cloths and patterns, neat Black and White dots, checks and stripes, separate cuffs or cuffs attached. Madras and percales, the best values at **\$1 Each**

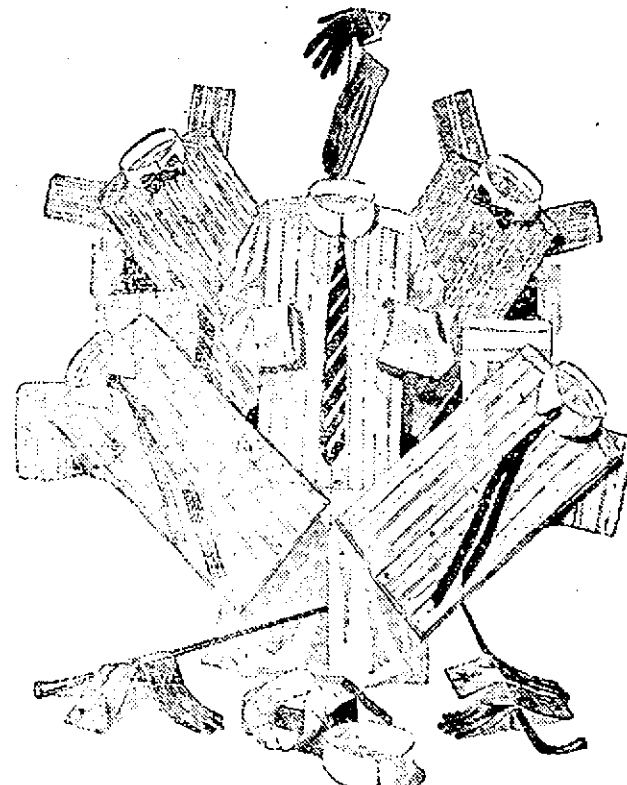
High Grade Shirts in Madras, Percales and soisette, a big line of new colors and patterns at **\$1.50 and \$2.00**

Men's Soft Shirts with attached collars in Madras, Twills, Flannels and Soisette. White, Cream, Drab and Blue **\$1, \$1.50 and \$2**

Men's White Shirts cuffs separate or attached, plain or plaited fronts, fine madras in a variety of weaves at **\$1 and \$1.50**

Boys' Shirts in percales—neat patterns at **45c, 50c, 75c**

Working Shirts with collars on or plain neckband. A variety of patterns at **50c**



The Talbot Clothing Co.,

American House Block Central St. "The Store That's Light As Day."

6 O'CLOCK E. F. SHEA'S LICENSE

Col. James H. Carmichael, counsel for James McLaughlin, proprietor of Les Miserables bowling alleys in East Merrimack street, is to petition the court to annul liquor license granted to Edward F. Shea & Co., 73 East Merrimack street, by the police board on the ground that part of said premises are within twenty-five feet of his property.

The original application made by Mr. Shea was for a location at both 73 and 77 East Merrimack street, but as 77 was less than 25 feet from the bowling alleys, with the consent of the city solicitor the No. 77 was eliminated and the court granted a license at No. 73. Now, however, Mr. McLaughlin claims that owing to the peculiar construction of the buildings adjacent to the premises of No. 73 is within 25 feet of his premises.

The law which governs the matter is as follows: "Chapter 28, Section 15, Acts of 1906: If before the expiration of the ten days following the publication of the notice, as required by the preceding section, the owner of any real estate within twenty-five feet of the premises described in an application for a li-

cence to be exercised by a common victualer to sell liquors to be drunk on the premises notices the licensing board in writing that he objects to the granting of the license, no license to sell intoxicating liquors to be drunk on said premises shall be granted, unless the applicant therefor shall, for the two years next preceding the date of his application, have held a license for the sale of intoxicating liquors upon said premises. If, after such objection has been filed, a license is granted to an applicant who has not held for the two years next preceding the date of his application a license to sell intoxicating liquors as a common victualer upon said premises, the owner of any such real estate may apply for a hearing to a police, district or municipal court or trial justice within whose jurisdiction the premises are situated, and said court or trial justice, if it appears that due notice was given by the said owner of his objection to the granting of such license, shall revoke the license, and send notice thereof to the licensing board. A city or town in which such license has been so revoked shall refund to said licensee or his legal representatives the money expended by him for said license and his court fees and costs."

WORCESTER IS "DRY"

WORCESTER, May 1.—Encouraged by the reduced prices, some thousands of the citizens of Worcester struggled valiantly yesterday to consume all the alcoholic fluid in the city. They had until 11 p. m. to perform the experiment, and judging by the appearance of the throngs on the streets, if there was defeat, it was an honorable one, since every effort had been made to drain the vats and barrels dry.

Worcester was in revelry on the last day of licensed liquor dispensing, for not in many years has there been such an array of bibulous spirits pursuing the tortuous ways homeward as plodded wearily along the thoroughfares last night.

The city enjoyed a bacchanalian feast, with double and triple portions for one price in some instances, and everywhere plenty of that which stimulates and intoxicates.

The inebriated numbered so large a percentage of the homeward bound

population after 11 p. m. that the police did not attempt to gather them in. Patrolmen were satisfied to leave them to go their devious way to receive their punishment in the physical ills which are born of the morning after.

So indulgent were the police that only three arrests for drunkenness were made.

NOT MUCH LEFT TODAY.

Last night at 11 o'clock the resorts where liquor had been sold under licenses for 14 years were closed, and today the city was dry. For at least a year the no-license law is to be enforced, and Worcester will for 12 months enjoy the reputation of being the largest city in the world under prohibitory license.

Worcester was closed with a fitting recognition of the significance of the impending long drouth. After 8 p. m. few bartenders had time or the material for other than straight hard stuff and the malt beverages. It was "that or nothing," and the customers gladly took "that."

From early morning until the knell for paring with the ardent was sounded at 11 o'clock sharp the saloons were crowded. Along Front and Mechanic streets, where there were establishments which up to 11 p. m. catered to all classes, the line in front of the genial, amiable and urbane barkeepers was constantly five and six deep. Men leaned over the shoulders of their fellows in front to grasp the overflowing glasses, for the glasses were overflowing last night.

Many hundreds spent the evening downtown, not because of their own desire to be convivial, but to see what the last night of license was like. So for every 10 men who were drinking long and deep there was one sober, contemplative individual.

NO EXCLUSIVENESS.

Worcester, like most cities, had its exclusive saloons, where a man whose

trade was not invited would be charged more than the individual of more imposing appearance. But there was no exclusiveness last night. Bartenders were cheerfully supplying begrimed workmen when a month ago they would have haughtily looked over the heads of such customers in disdain.

The absorption of the fiery fluid was not confined to the saloons, for the full membership of all the leading clubs was present in the respective houses to participate in the closing wet night. At the Worcester club in Elm street it was termed a "wake." The old and young members of the most exclusive club in the city gathered to dispose of the supply. Every one had his choice early in the evening from plain drinks to wines, but as the hours went by one fluid after another was eliminated as the monument of empties grew higher and broader. Finally it was simply whiskey and beer, with plenty of takers. Nobody was fussy.

It had been announced that all liquor remaining untouched by 11 p. m. was to be poured into the street, but happily this extreme expedient was not necessary.

BOTTLED GOODS

A member of the Law and Order league is authority for the statement that the league is already investigating to ascertain whether or no the hotels will live up to the new requirement that they sell no bottled goods to take out and that a man was sent into several hotels this morning for the purpose of purchasing a half pint of liquor and he was refused.

MEAN THIEVES

STOLE ANOTHER OF WORKING BOYS' HOME BOXES.

The petty thieves who were operating in this city a few weeks ago stealing little tin boxes containing money for the Working Boys' Home in Boston are at work again and last night a box which was almost filled with coins was stolen from McCarlin's baker shop in Gorham street. It will be remembered that a short time ago two of these boxes were stolen from the Tower's Corner drug store and one was stolen from Denis O'Brien's drug store in Bridge street.

George Hanley of New York is visiting his relatives in Quebec street, this city.

Bargains in MILLINERY

\$8.00 Hats for \$4.98
\$3.00 Hats for \$3.49
\$3.00 Children's Hats for \$1.98
Plain Hats Trimmed 25c
First class trimmers wanted.

Mme A. Caron
West Sixth and Ennell Sts.

J. A. McEvoy OPTICIAN

Optical Goods. Eyes Examined.
Glasses Made on Premises.
232 MERRIMACK ST.

F. W. MILLS Banker and Broker

Room 33, Hildreth Building

Honest Goods—Prices Right

Miley-Helman & Co.

RELIABILITY

214 MERRIMACK STREET

No Standing Still

It's a law of nature that we cannot stand still, either mentally or morally; we either go backward or forward, up or down; we either progress or deteriorate and it rests with ourselves which it shall be.

Determined effort to increase the business for 1908 is meeting with success and to augment the forward march of the Specialty Shop, we announce

Our Annual Waist Sale

A sale that means sacrificed profits to accomplish the greatest possible volume of business for May. The money-savings are all in your favor—that's why the values are so tempting to women who know.

Anticipate Future Wants—'Twill Pay You

576 Sample and other Waists, tailored and lingerie, beautifully gotten up, worth and formerly sold for \$1.50, **Sale Price 95c**

New creations in the better grades are arriving daily. We request your inspection whether you buy or not; we are sure they will interest you, they are so dainty and exclusive.

\$1.95, \$2.95, \$3.50, \$3.95, \$4.95 and up to \$15

\$7.50 French Made Corsets for \$3.00

There's nothing the matter with the goods just because we've marked them from \$7.50 to \$3.00, but your conclusion is liable to be there may be some "but" about them. Well, if you call last season's models an "out," you are right, but we are safe to say these three models for stout, slender and average figures, consisting of 56 pairs, will be more productive of actual wearing comfort than the never models of today. Please note these corsets are boned throughout with whalebone and are made by the best French skill. **\$3.00 Pair**

Come and see them anyway, even if you don't buy.

IN POLICE COURT

Up to noon there had not been one drunken offender arrested for a period of 36 hours. Judge Hadley was agreeably surprised this morning when he entered court at finding the dock empty.

The only case before the court was that of Michael and Shadie Hallala and Nicola Simon, charged with assault and battery on Asa Murad. With the assistance of an interpreter the complainant testified that while passing through Suffolk street about 5:30 o'clock the night before last he was set upon by three men. He said that Michael Hallala and Nicola Simon held him by the arms while Shadie Hallala gave him two blows on the head with brass knuckles.

Michael Azar said he saw the assault and that one of the defendants had brass knuckles on his hands. Dargan Farris and Joseph Hanna also corroborated the testimony offered by the complainant.

The defendant's story was a general denial. After summing up the evidence in the case all three were found guilty. Shadie Hallala was fined \$15 and the other two were fined \$10 each.

CAMPBELL MISSING.

The case of William H. Campbell, charged with failing to provide proper support for his wife and minor child, which was scheduled for a hearing today, was postponed till Monday, as Campbell was among the missing when his name was read.

Lobsters, 16 cents a pound, at the Tarpon, Saturday.

FUNERALS

DEMANGE—The funeral of Mrs. Malvina Demange took place yesterday from her home, 124 Wampanoag street. A solemn funeral mass was said at St. Jean Baptiste church. Rev. Fr. Richard, O. M. I., officiated, as deacon and sub-deacon, O. M. I., as deacon and sub-deacon. The choir under the direction of Dr. George E. Casse, with Miss Alexander at the organ. The bearers were David Sabourin, Henry Norbert, Fred Rabin, Joseph Fleming, Charles Sabourin and R. Breault. Among the floral tributes were a wreath from Walter J. Parker's employees; spray, Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Beauregard; wreath, Charles E. Leavitt; spray, Mr. and Mrs. Dimodana. Burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery, and Rev. Fr. Ouellette, O. M. I., officiated at the grave. Undertaker Joseph Albert had charge.

LEBEL—The funeral of Mrs. Sophie Lebel took place yesterday morning from her home, 115 Tucker street. Services were held at St. Jean Baptiste church. Rev. Fr. Gratton, O. M. I., officiating. The bearers were Napoleon Lebel, Joseph Duval, George Gagnon, J. B. Bisquet, Melanes Clara Lebel, Julie Lebel, Melinda Beauchene and P. Jacob represented St. Anne's sodality.

Burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery and Rev. Fr. Ouellette, O. M. I., officiated at the grave. Undertaker Joseph Albert had charge.

BINEAU—The funeral of Mrs. Clara Bineau took place yesterday morning from her home, 104 Cashin street. Funeral services took place at St. Joseph's church. Rev. Fr. Dubreuil, O. M. I., officiated. The bearers were Simeon Phinard, Hercule Gagnon, A. Richard, M. Dunn, G. Bourdeau, Arthur Boudreau. Burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery. Rev. Fr. Ouellette, O. M. I., officiated at the grave. Undertaker Joseph Albert had charge.

MILLER—The funeral of Mill Miller was held yesterday afternoon on the arrival of the body from Bangor, Me. Services were held at the Greek Orthodox church and burial was in the Eden cemetery. Undertaker Molloy & Sons had charge.

HEWITT—The funeral of Henry Hewitt, son of Harry and the late Delcina Hewitt, took place yesterday morning and was largely attended. Rev. Charles T. Billings was the officiating clergyman. The body was sent to Cambridge, Mass., for burial, by Undertaker Weinbeck.

HALE—The funeral of Charlotte L. Hale took place yesterday afternoon at the 245 train from Providence, R. I.

CITY OF LOWELL.

No. 278. April 30, 1908.
Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Revised Laws, that James J. Dolan has applied for a transfer of a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the fourth class as retail dealer from Nos. 40-42 Concord street to 40-42-44 Concord street, in three rooms on first floor and cellar.

By order of the Board of Police,
JOHN J. FLAHERTY, Jr., Clerk.

CITY OF LOWELL.

No. 279. April 30, 1908.
Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Revised Laws, that James J. Dolan has applied for a transfer of a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the first class as common victualer from Nos. 40-42 Concord street to Nos. 40-42-44 Concord street, in three rooms on first floor and cellar.

By order of the Board of Police,
JOHN J. FLAHERTY, Jr., Clerk.

CITY OF LOWELL.

No. 300. May 1, 1908.
Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Revised Laws, that William E. Conway of Plunkett & Conway has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the sixth class as druggist at Nos. 4-6 Merrimack street, in three rooms on first floor and cellar.

By order of the Board of Police,
JOHN J. FLAHERTY, Jr., Clerk.

CITY OF LOWELL.

No. 301. May 1, 1908.
Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Revised Laws, that Olie M. C. Jones has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the sixth class as druggist at Nos. 4-6 Merrimack street, in three rooms on first floor and cellar.

By order of the Board of Police,
JOHN J. FLAHERTY, Jr., Clerk.

CITY OF LOWELL.

No. 302. May 1, 1908.
Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Revised Laws, that Olie M. C. Jones has applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the sixth class as druggist at Nos. 4-6 Merrimack street, in three rooms on first floor and cellar.

By order of the Board of Police,
JOHN J. FLAHERTY, Jr., Clerk.

and was largely attended. The bearers were William F. Carl, Arthur McLaughlin, William Hale and Fred Hall. Rev. N. W. Matthews conducted the services at the grave. Interment was in the Eden cemetery, under the direction of J. A. Weinbeck.

DOG LICENSES

Some said this was dog day at city hall and others said it was train-wreckers' day. An inquisitive reporter learned that some called it "dog day" because it was the first day for the taking out of dog licenses and he learned that others called it "train-wreckers' day" because it was pay and supply day for the janitors.

Up to noon today 25 dog licenses were taken out and Clerk McCarthy allowed that was pretty poor dog business for the first of May.

Speaking of the janitors and their pay and supply day another argument in favor of the school supply room remaining at the city hall presents itself. It is very convenient for the janitors after receiving their pay to slip down stairs to the school supply room and get their brooms, brushes or whatever supplies they may need. Instead of being away from their schools for as long a time as would be required were the supply room and the city treasurer's office widely separated, as to distance, they can make a flying trip and get back to their schools at 10 a. m.

Nobby voile dress shirts at Chris Holmes' sale, 125 and 209 Merrimack street.

DRIVEN ASHORE

BIDDEFORD POOL, Me., May 1.—The fishing schooner Margie Smith of Gloucester, Mass., Captain Freeman Brown and crew of 14 men, owned by the Gordon Fish Co. of Gloucester, went ashore in the harbor here early today. She was caught in a southeast squall and forced onto Stage Island. The crew took to the boats and got ashore in safety. The schooner was leaking but was not resting in a very bad position. The life line was sent to their aid and an effort was made to be made to get her off on the incoming tide.

WOMAN'S ARREST

REVEALS WEDDING THAT OCCURRED TWO YEARS AGO.

BOSTON, May 1.—The marriage of a Cambridge woman, Morris A. Skold, to a beautiful Creole girl became known yesterday morning when Mrs. Morris A. Skold pleaded guilty to disturbing the peace and was fined \$10 in the third district court, Cambridge.

The secret of two years was disclosed through fear on the part of the woman to face a false name. Although sworn to secrecy regarding her marriage, the knowledge that a woman in the Boston courts recently received a sentence of two years for giving a false name so weighed upon the young wife that the secret was revealed.

Lobsters, 16 cents a pound, at the Tarpon, Saturday.

NEW WAGE SCALE

WENT INTO EFFECT IN QUARRIES AT CONCORD.

CONCORD, May 1.—The granite industry in this city started today upon a new bill of prices, substantially the same as at Barre, Vt., which will continue for three years. Committees from the manufacturers and the unions had been in conference for several days and reached a final agreement on Thursday so that there was no interruption of work today.

HONG KONG

TO BE VISITED BY THE BIG FLEET.

HONG KONG, May 1.—It was learned here today that the American government has accepted an invitation for the battleship fleet to visit Hong Kong on its way around the world.

A RECEPTION

HELD AT RESIDENCE OF MR. FRANKLIN GUYETTE.

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Guyette, who were united in marriage last week at Bar Harbor, Me., held a reception last night at the residence of Mr. Franklin Guyette, the father of the former, at 33 Aiken avenue. A number of relatives and friends were present during the evening to congratulate the happy couple and an excellent evening was spent.

Mr. and Mrs. Guyette received in the parlor and they were assisted by Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Guyette, mother and father of the groom, and also Messrs. Walter E. and Frederick J. Guyette and Miss Ella M. Guyette. An excellent supper was served about eight o'clock. Mrs. Franklin Guyette having general supervision of the tables. She was ably assisted by Mrs. Jennie Elliott and a corps of efficient waitresses.

After supper a musical and literary program was carried out and games were enjoyed. Mr. George H. Guyette is foreman of the H. P. Nason Construction Co., of Boston, and was a resident of this city until about a year ago. He is well known and very popular, having a host of friends. Mrs. Guyette was Miss Winifred B. Kline and resided at Saco, Me. The marriage took place a week ago Wednesday at Bar Harbor.

Lobsters, 16 cents a pound, at the Tarpon, Saturday.

COTTON FUTURES.

NEW YORK, May 1.—Cotton futures opened here May 80 1/2 June 80 1/2 July 80 1/2 Aug. 80 1/2 Sept. 80 1/2 Oct. 80 1/2 Nov. 80 1/2 Dec. 80 1/2 Jan. 80 1/2 Feb. 80 1/2 March 80 1/2

Cut this sale on silk, millinery, suits, jackets, skirts, etc., today and Saturday. Chris. Holmes, 125 and 209 Merrimack street.

FANCY GROCERIES

AT

DUFFY'S

17 and 19 Market street—Next to Am. Express office.

GONE TO JURY CHELSEA RELIEF

The case of Willis vs. Boston & Northern street railway, a North Reading accident case, went to the jury at noon and court adjourned until Monday.

The evidence in the case was concluded late yesterday afternoon and the jury was excused to permit Lawyer Saltonstall, for the defense, to present a motion to take the case from the jury. Mr. Saltonstall argued that Willis was a pedestrian, and was not exercising due care. The court ruled that it was a case for the jury, and the arguments were made this forenoon.

JUDGE KING COMING.

When court reopens on Monday Judge King will occupy the bench. Judge Hardy having been called to another court. For that reason, Judge Hardy adjourned court at noon today at the conclusion of the Willis case, not caring to open another case which he could not finish. Judge King appears in Lowell for the first time since his appointment to the bench.

RAVES FOR WIFE

CHICAGO, May 1.—John Moulds is raving in the Dunning asylum and calls constantly for his wife who is detained at the immigration station in Boston because she is an alien and cannot show that she is able to support herself.

She arrived yesterday on the Saxonia in response to a cablegram from the Chicago police informing her of the condition of her husband who came to this country from England three years ago and went to work here. Moulds made good wages as an expert machinist and besides supporting his family of nine children in England, managed to save \$500. Four weeks ago he took his money out of the bank and bought a ticket for home. That night he was beaten and robbed. He never recovered from the assault and became insane and was sent to Dunning.

Not hearing from him, his wife became alarmed and communicated with the Chicago police. Working on her information they identified her husband and two weeks ago they cabled her of his condition. She took the next steamer for this country. Her pitiful story aroused the immigration authorities and at their own expense they wired her friends. If they can guarantee that she will not become a public charge she will be allowed to come to Chicago.

BISHOP POTTER IMPROVED.

NEW YORK, May 1.—The condition of the Right Rev. Henry C. Potter, Protestant Episcopal bishop of New York, who has been seriously ill as a result of a general breakdown from overwork, has been reported to be somewhat improved today.

CAMPBELL'S SOUPS—9c

AT

DUFFY'S

17 and 19 Market street—Next to Am. Express office.

FROM HIAWATHA

MRS. LANE'S CLASS GAVE NOVEL ENTERTAINMENT.

An entertainment consisting of pantomime readings of selections from Longfellow's poem, "Hiawatha," was given at the First Universalist church vestry last night by the members of Mrs. Lane's class. Those who took part in the entertainment were attired in Indian costume and the attendance numbered about 200. The cast of characters was as follows:

Minnehaha, Mae Bangs; Nakomis, Marjory Douglas; Red Wing, Yvonne Louprey; Arrah Wagona, Louise Louprey; Big Moon, Esther Mulgrave; Moon Eyes, Harriet Ferguson; Setting Sun, Agnes Ferguson; Blue Bird, Katherine Noyes; Hiawatha, Harry Pearson; Arrow-maker, Eddie Bangs; Pan-Pul-Keewis, Hutchins Bennett; Chibabos, Kenneth Goward; Iagoo, Raymond Hugger; Rain-in-the-face, Hyerson Chapman; Long Finger, Fred Steer; Red Feather, Francis Goward; Deer Foot, Roger Wendall; Corn Field, Roy Merrill; Sun Down, Carlton Dick-ey; Green Blanket, Alex. Hakson; Black Kettle, Harold Noyes; Rain Cloud, Francis Fletcher; Mrs. Anna Howard was the pianist of the evening and Mrs. Hattie T. Bacheider was the reader.

FANCY GROCERIES

AT

DUFFY'S

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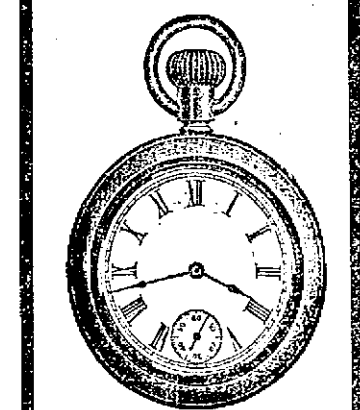
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BY FIVE VOTES

House Rejected the
Salary Increase BillTHE DISTRICT OP-
TION BILLWas Reconsidered and
Then Defeated

BOSTON, May 1.—The lower branch of the legislature yesterday spent nearly its entire day in considering two matters, the district option bill and the bill to increase the salary of members of the legislature. The district option bill, which was killed Wednesday, was revived and then killed again. The salary bill was also killed by a close margin, all proposed amendments being rejected.

Just before adjournment the house began a discussion of the bill to permit the commonwealth to take over the liquor license fees, 50 percent next year, 75 percent in 1910 and all in 1911 and thereafter. The bill will be discussed today as adjournment cut off debate.

The salary bill which has engrossed the private attention of every member of the house for several days, was killed by only five votes after extensive debate. The bill would raise the salary from \$750 to \$1000, and as drawn would make the increase apply to the present legislature. Mr. Cleary of Great Barrington offered an amendment to make the increase operative next year.

The closing speech in favor of the bill was made by Mr. Fay of Boston. The amendment to make the increase take effect next year was defeated on a roll call, 77 to 127. On the question of passing the bill to be engrossed, the rising vote was 55 to 58 in favor of such action, but on a roll call the bill was rejected, 55 to 101.

IN THE SENATE.

The session of the state senate yesterday afternoon was rather protracted, but the results were not of great importance. Senator Valley of Middlesex urged the senate to reconsider its rejection of the O'Rourke bill to compel street railways to equip their cars with lifting jacks. The railroad commissioners have reported against the expediency or practicability of this equipping the cars.

Senator Valley, however, made a strong fight for reconsideration and exhibited during the discussion a jack, which, he said, would lift 15 tons. It was being used, he said, in Fitchburg. Senator Mitchell of Middlesex added that it was being used in Marlboro, Cleveland and McKeesport as well. He

contended that the report of the commission was entirely incomplete and their investigation of the jack very cursory.

Senator Lincoln of Suffolk suggested: "There is no sentiment here; this is the place where they play the game, and the strong man and the strong corporation with the money win."

Senator Norcross and Senator Soyle favored reconsideration. The former saying that he did not understand why the railways objected to this kind of legislation. Senator Cowee and Monahan said they would vote for the bill because it was a humane measure.

Senator Grimes, chairman of the street railway committee, stood by the railroad commissioners' finding and opposed the motion to reconsider. Senator Mahoney spoke for the motion.

Senator Valley's motion to reconsider was lost, 15 to 22.

The senate then had before it the motion to substitute the Callahan lifting jack bill, and Senator Grimes raised the point of order that this measure was practically the same as the O'Rourke measure, which had been rejected. Pres. Chapple ruled against the point on the ground that the two measures were not identical. The motion to substitute was then defeated, 22 to 11.

The plate glass insurance bill was substituted for the adverse report of the committee on insurance, on motion of Senator Valley.

The so-called Hagen antimonopoly bill went to a third reading without debate, 24 to 11.

The bill for direct nominations in Essex county was quietly killed, 13 to 13, as predicted.

In concurrence with the house the senate adopted the order calling for an opinion from the supreme court as to the constitutionality of taxing stock transfers.

The senate will meet today at noon.

MAN MAY DIE

EXPRESS WAGON COLLIDED
WITH A CAR.

BOSTON, May 1.—As a result of a collision between an inward-bound Grove Hall car and a wagon of the McGrellis Express company in front of 1234 Washington street, last night, one man is dying at the city hospital, and two others are in the hospital suffering from serious injuries.

Bertram J. McLean, aged 30 years, of 2 Blinckard street, Roxbury, driver of the express wagon, was thrown to the ground and suffered a fracture of the skull, from which he is not expected to survive.

Joseph E. Saunders, aged 25 years, of 186 Dudley street, the driver's helper, was also thrown to the pavement from the seat and suffered serious injuries to the face and body.

Henry Reiser, aged 25 years, of 25 Fenelon street, Somerville, a passenger on the front platform of the electric car, suffered contusions of the body.

All three were taken to the city hospital.

NORTH CAROLINA

THE REPUBLICANS FAVOR TAFT
FOR PRESIDENT.

GREENSBORO, N. C., May 1.—The North Carolina Republican convention assembled here yesterday. A. H. Price was temporary chairman, and I. J. Built permanent chairman. The following delegates at large were elected to the national convention:

Thomas S. Rollins, Asheville; Charles J. Harris, Hillsboro; E. C. Duncan, Raleigh, and Spencer B. Adams, Greensboro.

Resolutions were adopted endorsing Roosevelt's administration and instructing the delegates for Taft for president.

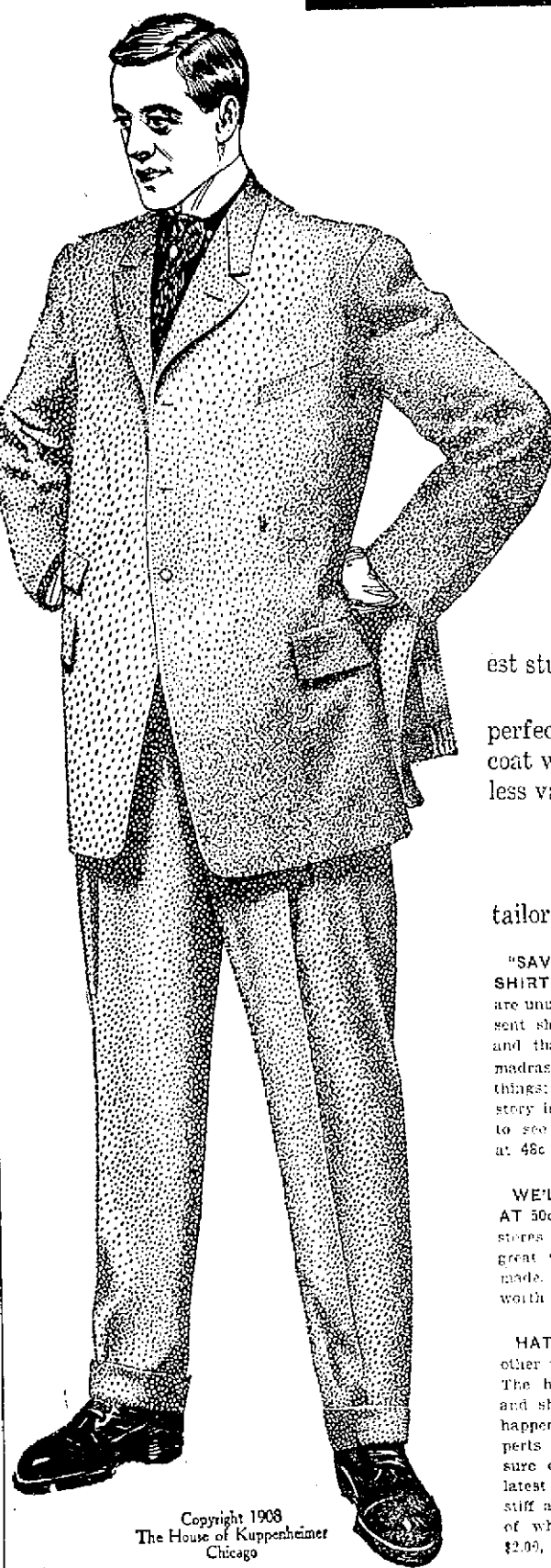
AOTHER LUCKY HAPPY MAN—AN-

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Wedding in June. Girl says, "If I don't have anything else in the house, I am going to have a Gas Range and I am going to have Miss Webber teach me how to use it. I've been to her demonstration lectures and it's just a dream to watch Miss Webber work."

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They're B. Kuppenheimer & Co., Leopold Morse & Co. goods and other leading wholesale tailors lines.

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SMALLEST BOYS' CLOTHES more than justify anything we can say about them; Russian Suits, sizes 2½ to 7; "Fighting Bob" Sailor Suits, sizes 5 to 10; Flon Suits, sizes 5 to 10; and Reefers, 2½ to 10, \$1.98 to \$2.50.

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THE COLOR LINE

Being Sharply Drawn in
the Philippines

BOSTON, May 1.—Fiske Warren, one of the leaders of the anti-imperialist movement of several years ago, returned yesterday from a third visit to the Philippines and declared that the Filipinos are more dangerous to their discontent than when he went to the islands on two previous occasions. The color line, he said, was being more sharply drawn than at any time since he first visited the islands. Asked if the natives were competent to accept independence, Mr. Warren said: "I am at present unwilling to give a

decided answer but I consider it improbable that the people will lapse into their former condition of savagery if given the regalia of government."

In speaking of Japan, Mr. Warren said:

"That country is not such a tempting proposition to the Filipinos as the American public has been led to suppose. The natives appear to believe that the United States has intentions leading to ultimate self-government and then seem to harbor distrust of the Japanese and look askance at the possible intentions of Japan concerning Korea."

GOLD CROWNS. The kind that wear and fit and give perfect satisfaction are made by Dr. Allen, Old City Hall.

WAGE INCREASE

For Bridge and Structural
Iron Workers

BOSTON, May 1.—The first day of May, the date of starting new wage and working schedules by the labor union organizations, is notable for the fact that for the first time in many years there is no strike on in Boston in any of the many trades and no prospect of any disturbance of the sort in the near future.

Bridge and structural iron workers and housepainters yesterday secured a desired wage increase agreement and are satisfied with the prospects for another year. The increase is of five cents an hour for bridge structural workers and eight cents an hour for housepainters.

The wood, wire and metal laborers are to have double pay for overtime work, which they asked, and are satisfied with the adjustment of their claims.

The laborers have made an additional request for pay for all legal holidays which it is probable will be granted.

Old time were renewed with five thousand house carpenters and the men have accepted the adjustment.

President Tuttle of the Boston & Maine railroad announced that no change would be made by wages on the system and that it could be that railroad is avoided.

Journalists have secured a Saturday half holiday for six months which it is expected will be granted and claims of trans-Atlantic steamship clerks are in the hands of an arbitration committee, which it is expected will prevent any trouble possibly involving long shoremen and freight handlers.

The delay of the N. Y. N. H. & H. road not to enforce piecework and bonus systems has been received with especial satisfaction by the employees of the system.

Navy yard employees, Atlantic coast seamen, railroad telegraphers, draw tenders, clear strippers and makers, stationary engineers, brewery engineers, coal hoisting engineers and granite cutters have all received important concessions and all are beginning the new industrial year in a most jubilant spirit.

LEOPARDS FREE

They Savagely Clawed
and Injured Boy

BALTIMORE, May 1.—During the performance at the Zoo last night, two leopards jumped the barrier, landing among the audience. A boy, Louis Long, was badly clawed about the face and neck and a panic that would that would almost certainly have meant the loss of many lives was averted by the prompt action of Police Sergeant Barranger, in closing the exit door and allowing only one or two of the terrified people to descend the stairs at a time. There were several hundred people in the audience when seven leopards were let into the arena, which is surrounded by high steel bars, for a performance. Two of these were sally and one is said to have been irritated by Long, who was close to the top of the cage. This leopard jumped toward the boy and scrambled over the top of the cage and was immediately followed by another of the beasts. The first one clawed Long savagely. The people in the audience were terror-stricken. One of the leopards dashed down the stairway to the office and Barranger slammed the door. Then the crowd rushed toward him, but he held them back until they were calm enough for a few at a time to depart.

On the floor above the arena is a skating rink and here also the police locked the doors and held in the crowd until all danger of panic was passed. The leopards were cornered, one in the office of the Zoo, and the other in one of the dressing rooms by trainers and were returned to their cages.

WILL RETIRE

VICTOR MORAWETZ TO LEAVE
ATCHISON AND SANTA FE.

NEW YORK, May 1.—Victor Morawetz, chairman of the executive committee of the Atchison and Santa Fe road, said yesterday about reports of his intended resignation: "I expect to retire at least temporarily from the Atchison management in order to obtain rest and resume other work which I have been compelled to lay aside for several years. My resignation is not due to any loss of interest in the company or to any difference of views. My relations to the president and directors are more than cordial and there could not be a more harmonious board of directors than that of the Atchison Co."

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

BRIDGE BURNED

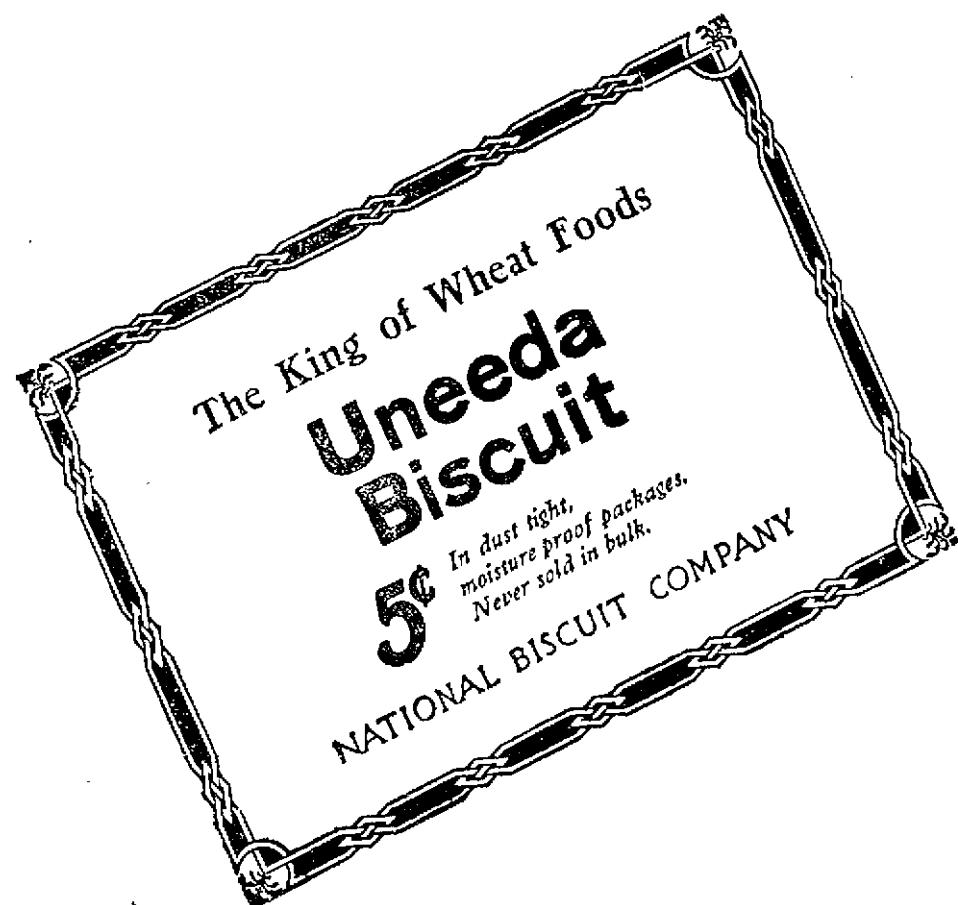
Traffic to Lowell Was
Delayed

A highway bridge at East Billerica on the main line of the southern division of the Boston and Maine railroad was burned last night, making it necessary to divert trains from Boston to Lowell by way of Wilmington Junction. As a consequence, the late local train from Boston to Lowell was delayed nearly an hour.

BORN IN LOWELL

JOHN G. GALLAN DIED IN TOGUS
HOME.

TOGUS, Me., May 1.—John G. Gallan, one of the older members of the Togus home, died in the hospital yesterday. Mr. Gallan was born in Lowell, 67 years ago and was a spinner. He enlisted in Co. A, 10th R. I. Infantry, at Providence, Oct. 1, 1862, and was discharged at Providence, July 15, 1863. He was admitted to this home from Providence, Aug. 8, 1880.



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THE VERY HIGHEST QUALITY**

GREAT NAVAL BATTLE

Tenth Anniversary of the Fight at Manila

Today is the tenth anniversary of one of the most remarkable exploits in naval annals—the battle of Manila bay, May 1, 1898. Excepting the annual dinner tonight in Washington of the society of Manila bay, composed of officers of the U. S. navy, there will be no special celebration of the great event, but it will not be forgotten by any naval officer in the world.

In total weight of fire the hostile fleets were nearly equal. Though the American cruisers mounted eight-inch guns in their main batteries, while the heaviest caliber on board the Spanish ships was six inches. Moreover, the American vessels were more modern, better equipped and more heavily armed. The superiority was, however, counterbalanced by the Spanish land batteries at Cavite, on Corregidor island and in front of Manila.

It was thus not an uneven contest. But the only casualty on the American side was caused by a Spanish shell striking the cruiser Baltimore, exploding a case of ammunition and wounding eight men, whereas the Spaniards lost 618 men killed, their entire fleet of 10 vessels and their forts.

April 24 Hon. John D. Long, secretary of the navy, sent to Commodore Dewey at Hongkong that memorable cablegram:

"War has commenced between the United States and Spain. Proceed at once to the Philippine Islands. Commence operations at once, particularly against the Spanish fleet. You may capture vessels or destroy. Use utmost endeavors."

SAIL AWAY TO VICTORY.

The following day the American fleet, consisting of the second-class cruisers Olympia, Baltimore, Boston and Raleigh, the partially protected gunboat Concord, the armed revenue

cutter Hugh McCulloch and the small gunboat Petrel, with the tenders Zafiro and Naushon, sailed for Manila.

On the night of April 30, with all lights out, regardless of the batteries on Corregidor island and regardless of the mines, Commodore Dewey steamed boldly into Manila bay. The American vessels, piloted by Lieut. Calkins, entered the harbor of Manila before they were expected, passing the batteries and torpedo defenses with such ease and navigating the bay with such knowledge of the channels and shallows, that Admiral Montojo was taken completely by surprise.

Shortly after daybreak began the awful havoc wrought by the American fleet. Two sunken torpedoes were exploded ahead of the flagship Olympia. Two ineffective shots were fired from one of the forts. Those were the only incidents in the progress of the American vessels to the end of the bay where the Spanish admiral had hastily formed his battle line under the protection of the guns of Cavite.

The Spanish ships had not enough steam to maneuver properly. Three of them had broken machinery. As the American fleet advanced to the attack the Manila batteries opened fire with guns powerful enough to send shells over the vessels at a distance of five miles. The Concord replied with two shots. No more were fired, for fear of burning the city.

When the column neared Cavite the guns of the fortress and of the Spanish ships first opened fire. Commodore Dewey constantly maneuvered his fleet to keep an advantageous position in the strong currents of the day and to avoid giving the Spaniards a steady mark. The Spanish gunnery was the first shots passing over and the later ones falling short of their mark.

FATAL HAIL OF STEEL.

Commodore Dewey's flagship led the American column, which steamed back and forth as near the Spanish fleet,



ADMIRAL GEORGE DEWEY, U. S. N.

close to the shore batteries, as it was supposed the deep draft of the Olympia would allow. Then, at a distance of 4000 yards, changing its course, the fleet ran parallel to the Spanish column and opened fire on the ships and forts.

After 20 minutes the American ships stood out and used their heavy guns with terrible effect, and then they closed in again. The Spaniards worked their guns gallantly, but the damage inflicted by the American shells caused their fire gradually to weaken. After four runs were made in front of the Spanish fleet, with all guns working, the enemy's vessels were rendered useless.

Out of the Spanish line advanced the Maria Christina to attack the American flagship, but in a few minutes she was made a helpless cripple. The Olympia's fire raked her mercilessly and exploded one of her magazines. Two torpedo boats that crept out of the smoke to attack the Olympia and the Baltimore were quickly destroyed. The Don Juan de Austria was blown up. The Castilla burst into flames and then the Isla de Cuba, to which the flag of Admiral Montojo had been transferred, caught fire and sank.

The Don Antonio de Ulloa, the only remaining ship outside the breakwater, was fired by American shells and abandoned. Then the Concord and the Petrel went across the bay and destroyed the Mindanao and the Lighter craft which the Spaniards had run upon the beach. The Spanish admiral's last signal was for all the captains to scuttle and abandon their ships.

After two hours of hard work—the most momentous two hours in American history—Commodore Dewey withdrew in order to give the men a rest and breakfast, partly because he did not know how completely he had disabled the Spanish ships and partly because it had been reported through misinterpretation that the ammunition was running short. Later in the morning the fleet returned to silence with a few well-directed shots from the Baltimore and the Concord all the remaining batteries aloft, and ashore. Then the gunboats went inside the breakwater to destroy the remnant of the Spanish fleet.

All that occurred May 1. It was a whole week later before the details of the historic event were known in the United States. Dewey had cut the cable connecting Manila with the outer world.

TRAIN SERVICE

Board of Trade Secures Improvements

Pres. Harry A. Smith of the board of trade has been in consultation with the Boston & Maine officials for some time relative to a better train service and he feels quite confident that it will be forthcoming.

Formerly the 122 o'clock train to Boston in the morning was well patronized by Lowell men. As this was a northern train and was continually late, however, Lowell people were gradually obliged to take an earlier train, about 7 o'clock. It is hoped to have a train put on to leave Lowell about 7:30 o'clock.

There was formerly a train from Boston to Lowell leaving Boston at 4 o'clock in the afternoon. This train proved very convenient for Lowell people. Last fall it was dropped, however, throwing the greater part of the traffic upon the 5 o'clock train and making traveling unpleasant on that account. It is hoped to have the 4 o'clock train put on again.

The railroad officials have been courteous in the matter and are considering what can be done to better conditions. It is believed that the improvements will be put in effect when

the regular summer schedule goes into effect before many weeks. They will be made permanent.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

Miss Annie A. Davis has returned to the Y. W. C. A. after a week's sojourn at Newport, R. I. She has become quite an adept on the roller skates. After May 1st she will be located in Tyngsboro where she will take charge of an extensive farm.

Factors of Safety

The human body is a wonderful machine, provided with muscular, nervous and mental energy far in excess of normal needs. In health, the organs and tissues can do double their usual amount of work without strain or friction, because they have stored energy to meet the extra demand.

When you feel "all tuckered out," these factors of safety are nearly exhausted and you need to resort to

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to renew the supply of energy, wherever it may be called for.

Indigestion, bilious attacks, constipation, loss of sleep, nervousness, dizzy spells, are warnings that the factor of safety in the stomach, liver, bowels or brain, is low, or nearing the danger point and needs to be replenished.

Beecham's Pills increase the supply of blood, strengthen the stomach, operate the bowels, feed the nerve cells, build tissue, and create a reserve supply of energy, which is the only natural and effective way to

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They're here in black and oxford vicuna—rich, dressy cloths—with princess serge linings.

They're 42 inches long, with half box backs, deep vents and long narrow lapels.

Sizes in regulars, stouts or longs up to 46.

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Boys' \$1.50 Box Calf Shoes, all solid, at

\$1.25

Ladies' \$2.00 Tan Vici Oxfords, all solid, at

\$1.43

Misses' \$1.50 Tan Calf Oxfords, at

\$1.23

A look in our window will convince you that our prices are lowest and our shoes are the best

SCHEDULE OUT

For the Games in Local Catholic League

The managers of the six baseball teams that have signified their intention to play with the Catholic baseball league of this city met last evening in the Matthews hall and perfected plans.

The meeting was called to order by the president, Denis A. O'Brien of the league. After the business that came before the meeting had been favorably acted upon the schedule of the league arranged by William C. King, the secretary, was read and accepted.

The season will be opened on Saturday with the St. Patrick's Sanctuary club playing the St. John's T. A. S. C. club of North Chelmsford. The game

arranged between the Burkes and Sacred Heart Holy Name society has been postponed. The Y. M. C. I. will play the Matthews at Mountain Rock.

Following is the schedule to be carried out during the season. The schedule has been arranged so that the teams play five games at home, five away from home and the last five to be the manager's choice:

On May 9—St. Patrick's sanctuary club and Burkes, No. common; Sacred Heart and Y. M. C. I. So. common; St. John's T. A. S. and Matthews, So. common.

May 16—Sacred Hearts and St. John's, No. Chelmsford; Y. M. C. I. and Burkes, So. common; St. Patrick's S. C. and Matthews, So. common.

May 23—Sacred Heart and Matthews, Sacred Heart grounds; St. John's T. A. S. Chelmsford; Y. M. C. I. and Burkes, S. and Burkes, Burkes' grounds; St. Patrick's S. C. and Y. M. C. I., No. common.

May 30—St. John's T. A. S. and Y. M. C. I., No. Chelmsford; Sacred Heart and St. Patrick's S. C., Sacred Heart grounds; Burkes and Matthews, Matthews' grounds.

June 6—Burkes and Sacred Heart, Sacred Heart grounds; Matthews and Y. M. C. I., Matthews' grounds; St. Patrick's S. C. and St. John's T. A. S., No. common.

June 13—St. Patrick's S. C. and Burkes, Burkes' grounds; St. John's T. A. S. and Matthews, No. Chelmsford; Y. M. C. I. and Sacred Heart, Y. M. C. I. grounds.

June 20—Y. M. C. I. and Burkes, Burkes' grounds; Sacred Heart and St. John's T. A. S., Sacred Heart grounds; Matthews and St. Patrick's S. C., No. common.

June 27—Matthews and Sacred Heart, Matthews' grounds; St. Patrick's S. C. and Y. M. C. I., Y. M. C. I. grounds; St. John's T. A. S. and Burkes, No. Chelmsford.

July 4—Burkes and Matthews, Burkes' grounds; St. John's T. A. S. and Y. M. C. I., Y. M. C. I. grounds; St. Patrick's S. C. and Sacred Heart, No. common.

July 11—Sacred Heart and Burkes, St. Patrick's S. C. and St. John's T. A. S., Y. M. C. I. and Burkes.

Aug. 1—St. Patrick's S. C. and Matthews, Sacred Heart and St. John's T. A. S., Y. M. C. I. and Burkes.

Aug. 8—Y. M. C. I. and St. Patrick's S. C., Burkes and St. John's T. A. S., Matthews and Sacred Heart.

Aug. 15—Matthews and Burkes, St. Patrick's S. C. and Sacred Heart; St. John's T. A. S. and Y. M. C. I.

The games played here on July 19 and August 15 will be the manager's choice.

The grounds that they will play on are as follows: St. Patrick's sanctuary club on North common; St. John's T. A. S. on Matthews' grounds; St. John's T. A. S. on Matthews' grounds; Y. M. C. I. on Matthews' grounds; Sacred Heart on Matthews' grounds; St. Patrick's S. C. on Matthews' grounds.

The managers of the six baseball teams have their hand in the matter to come all the game to be played and to play with the St. Patrick's S. C. club will have to play the St. John's T. A. S. club, a large game.

ABE ATTELL

HAD LITTLE TROUBLE PUTTING SULLIVAN AWAY.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 1.—Abe Attell, who yesterday afternoon predicted he would have easy going with Brooklyn's Jimmy Sullivan in their meeting last night, had good reason for his prediction in the fourth round. It could hardly be called a contest, as Sullivan acted quickly, appearing to be dazed.

The police stopped the one-sided attack in the fourth, as Attell was simply using his opponent as a sandbag, non-resisting punching bag.

THE LOWELL SUN

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The sworn daily net average circulation of The Lowell Sun for the year 1907 was

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JAMES E. O'DONNELL, Notary Public.

This is by far the largest net average circulation of any newspaper in Lowell.

An advertisement placed in The Sun is of more value to the advertiser than if it were inserted in all the other newspapers in Lowell and the cost of inserting it in The Sun is about ONE-THIRD the price charged by the other dapers.

AGAINST THE WHITE PLAGUE

THE POSTING OF ANTI-SPITTING NOTICES IN THE MILLS AT THE INSTIGATION OF DR. SIMPSON, SPECIAL MEDICAL INSPECTOR, APPOINTED BY THE STATE, IS ONE OF THE PRECAUTIONS AGAINST THE SPREAD OF TUBERCULOSIS AND CONSUMPTION.

IT IS REMARKABLE HOW IGNORANT SOME PEOPLE ARE ON THIS POINT AND ENFORCEMENT OF THE ANTI-SPITTING LAW WILL BE A VALUABLE LESSON IF PRACTISED AT THEIR HOMES BY THE OPERATIVES AS WELL AS IN THE MILLS.

THIS IS A GREAT STEP IN ADVANCE IN THE WAR ON THE "WHITE PLAGUE."

ON JUNE 6, 7 AND 8 IN ST. LOUIS WILL MEET THE AMERICAN ANTI-TUBERCULOSIS SOCIETY IN ITS ANNUAL CONVENTION; AND ITS DELIBERATIONS WILL HAVE SPECIAL REFERENCE TO THIS COUNTRY. BUT IN WASHINGTON, D. C. NEXT FALL THE CONVENTION OF THE INTERNATIONAL ANTI-TUBERCULOSIS ASSOCIATION WILL BE HELD. THIS CONVENTION WILL LAST FROM SEPT. 21 TO OCTOBER 12, AND SOME OF THE STATES WILL TAKE A PROMINENT PART IN THE EXHIBITION. WISCONSIN HAS APPROPRIATED \$5,000 FOR A PART IN THE EXHIBIT AND MAINE, NEW YORK, MARYLAND AND PENNSYLVANIA HAVE ALSO MADE LIBERAL ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE CONVENTION EXHIBIT.

WHEN IT IS CONSIDERED THAT IN FRANCE ABOUT 150,000 A YEAR FALL VICTIMS TO THIS DISEASE, IT WILL BE APPARENT HOW DREADFUL IS THE SCOURGE. AND FOR EVERY ONE WHO DIES OF THE DISEASE THREE ARE IN VARIOUS STAGES OF ITS PROGRESS TOWARDS FATALITY.

THE SCIENCE OF MEDICINE, SURGERY AND PATHOLOGY ARE BEING TURNED ON THIS DISEASE WITH THE RESULT THAT IF NO CURE BE FOUND, AT LEAST PREVENTIVE MEASURES WILL BE ENFORCED THAT WILL LESSEN THE RAVAGES OF THE DISEASE AND THUS SAVE NUMBERLESS LIVES THROUGHOUT THE WORLD.

THE EMPLOYMENT PROBLEM

EXCEPT IN THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN THERE SEEMS TO BE NO DESIRE TO DO ANYTHING IN THE LINE OF STARTING UP WORK AT WHICH SOME OF THOSE MEN NOW IDLE MIGHT FIND EMPLOYMENT.

THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN VOTED IN FAVOR OF A LOAN TO START WORK IN THE SEWER DEPARTMENT. THE SEWERAGE OF THE ANNEX MAY BE A DIFFICULT UNDERTAKING AND WILL BE EXPENSIVE, OF COURSE, BUT IF THAT CANNOT BE STARTED NOW LET WORK BE PROVIDED ELSEWHERE.

THE CITY ENGINEER MUST MAP OUT THE SCHEME THAT IS MOST FEASIBLE AND AT THE SAME TIME LEAST EXPENSIVE. IT WOULD BE WELL IF THE ENGINEER EVOLVED TWO OR MORE SCHEMES BY WHICH THE SAME OBJECT COULD BE ATTAINED. THEN LET THE CITY COUNCIL OR THE SEWER COMMITTEE DECIDE UPON WHICH IT WILL ADOPT. ALL THIS REQUIRES TIME AND THOUGHT.

AN UNDERTAKING OF THIS KIND SHOULD BE WELL CONSIDERED, OF COURSE, IN ORDER THAT NO MISTAKE MAY BE MADE IN THE EXPENDITURE OF ANY LARGE AMOUNT OF MONEY.

IF ANY ISOLATED SYSTEM OF SEWERAGE COULD BE PROVIDED FOR WARRENVILLE, IT WOULD BE VERY USEFUL AND MIGHT OBVIATE THE NECESSITY OF UNDERTAKING THE CONSTRUCTION OF A LARGE AND EXPENSIVE SEWER.

AT CITY HALL THERE SEEMS TO BE A VERY STRANGE DIFFERENCE TO THE FACT THAT THOUSANDS OF MEN ARE DAILY WALKING THE STREETS IN SEARCH OF WORK AND CANNOT FIND IT. THEY LOOK TO THE MAYOR AND THE HEADS OF DEPARTMENTS, BUT THUS FAR THEY HAVE RECEIVED VERY LITTLE CONSIDERATION ALTHOUGH THERE IS CONSIDERABLE WORK THAT HAD BETTER BE DONE NOW THAN IN THE MOUTH OF WINTER. IT IS NOT NECESSARY TO WAIT FOR THE SOLUTION OF THE ANNEX SEWER PROBLEM BEFORE STARTING STREET AND SEWER WORK THAT SHOULD BE DONE THIS SUMMER IN THE CITY PROPER.

THE SALARY GRAB

THE LEGISLATURE HAS SAVED ITS REPUTATION BY DEFEATING THE SALARY GRAB BILL. THIS IS NO TIME FOR RAISING THE SALARIES OF PUBLIC OFFICIALS, ON THE CONTRARY IT IS A TIME FOR REDUCING SUCH SALARIES WHERE THEY SEEM EXCESSIVE. THOSE WHO DESERVE AN INCREASE OF SALARY MUST WAIT UNTIL THE ARRIVAL OF MORE PROSPEROUS TIMES.

EDITORIAL COMMENT

AS OTHERS SEE US.

Kennebec Journal: Mr. Paderewski, the famous pianist, expresses the opinion that there are more beautiful cities in the United States than in any other country in the world, and that we are only in the beginning of development along this line. He was particularly impressed with the strong hold that the park idea has obtained in the municipalities of this country.

ENGLAND DRINK BILL.

Westminster Gazette: It is reassuring to learn from Dr. Dawson Burns' annual review of the United Kingdom's drink bill that although we spent £59,600 more on intoxicants last year than in 1896, the average expenditure per head fell from £3 16s 3d to £3 15s 9d. From 1872 to 1878 the average expenditure never fell below £4 a head, and in 1876 it touched £4 2s. On the other hand, from 1881 to 1884 (both years included), it never rose as high as £3, while in 1882 it fell as low as £2 8s 5d, or less.

than two-thirds its present amount. As matters are we stand exactly where we stood in 1896, when the expenditure per head on alcoholic liquors was, as last year, £2 15s. 9d.

CORPORATIONS IN POLITICS.

Providence Tribune: "When you consider," said Mr. Bryan, speaking in New York, "that this five-hundred thousand dollars which was contributed by a single corporation in this city was more than we were able to raise in either of the campaigns in which I was a candidate from more than six million voters, you get a fair idea of the tremendous influence, one way or another, that the corporations can exert if they want to."

If the corporations exert an improper influence, if they use their money to purchase votes, they should be punished when detected, in company with the voters who accept their money. No wide gap yawns between the bribe-taker and the bribe-taker and there is no defence for either. Neither can he be said in palliation of political corruption; on that point all right-minded people are agreed. But to maintain, as many reformers are

now insisting, that corporations should not be permitted to participate in politics is absurd. It is no difficult matter, surely, to wander far from first principles and to make a mockery of localism.

RHODES CELEBRATION.

Boston Transcript: A movement is on foot in Rhode Island this year to celebrate the hundredth anniversary of the birth of Daniel Boone, who placed the accused in a fall in St. Charles to await the action of the grand jury. When the jury assembled it was found that eleven of the twelve could not write their names. The one who could sign his name was chosen foreman. The indictment which they framed after great labor was a curious one and of special interest as the first indictment drawn in Louisiana territory under the United States government. It reads as follows:

SUITS LOWELL, ALSO.

Lawrence Telegram: One of the leaders in charitable work in this city has asked us to urge all owners of gardens to give as much work as they can to unemployed persons about the gardens and grounds surrounding their houses. It is a good suggestion and we hope as many as possible will adopt it in Lawrence.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

PEOPLE OF NOTE

The first murder north of the Missouri river recorded in history was committed in December, 1894, and the criminal was indicted by the first grand jury that assembled north of the Missouri river after the cession of the territory to the United States. The preliminary hearing was held before Daniel Boone, who placed the accused in a fall in St. Charles to await the action of the grand jury. When the jury assembled it was found that eleven of the twelve could not write their names. The one who could sign his name was chosen foreman. The indictment which they framed after great labor was a curious one and of special interest as the first indictment drawn in Louisiana territory under the United States government. It reads as follows:

"That one James Davis, late of the district of St. Charles, in the territory of Louisiana, laborer, not having the fear of God before his eyes, but being moved and seduced by the instigation

of the devil, on the thirteenth day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and four (1894) at a place called Pemine Osage, in the said district of St. Charles, with force of arms, in and upon William Hays in the name of God and the United States, there and then feloniously, wilfully and with malice aforethought did make an assault, and that the said James Davis, with a certain rifle gun four feet long, and of the value of \$3 and there loaded with gunpowder and one leaden bullet, with said rifle gun in his hands and held, fired and killed William Hays."

A true bill was found against James Davis, and he was bound over to appear for trial. His bail bond was fixed at \$500, which Daniel Boone signed. There must have been extenuating circumstances connected with the murder, for Davis was cleared when placed on trial.

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OUR FINE SUITS

From Rogers, Peet & Co.,

Have proved so satisfactory to men who enjoy being well dressed that this branch of our business grows larger every season.

Style, quality, fit, exclusive patterns and perfect tailoring are characteristics that place Rogers-Peet's suits outside the class of ordinary ready-made.

New spring shades and weaves with exceptionally fine blacks and blues, make up our broad showing of Rogers Peet's suits for **\$20 up to \$35**

These suits have a peculiar interest for the man who has thought it necessary to pay a merchant tailor forty-five to sixty dollars for a suit to measure.

STRICTLY HAND FINISHED FANCY WORSTED SUITS \$15

Every suit is new this season, cut on the latest models. Coats are all hand tailored—trousers finished with side straps and buckles, and there are about the suits all the niceties of "custom made." These handsome suits of pure worsteds in browns, olives and stone shades, represent the newest and most fashionable spring colors. We do not believe that suits equal to these in style, quality and tailoring can be bought elsewhere below eighteen dollars

FANCY WORSTED SUITS

Worth \$14 and \$15, for \$10

An excellent variety of men's fancy worsted suits in dark and quiet gray mixed effects—go on sale today for \$10.

Every coat has a hand felled collar is lined with a wool serge and carefully tailored throughout. Trousers cut on the new models.

We have never shown better values or suits as well made and well trimmed as these today for **\$10**

Blue Serges and Black and Blue Unfinished Worsted Suits

No store equals these goods in value for our prices. Every fabric is warranted all wool and absolutely fast color. Every coat is made with hand felled collar—and every suit shown is strictly new, cut on the latest models. These black and blue suits are all made from fabrics of our own selection, of full standard weights—and all have been carefully tested for strength and color. We stand back of every suit with the fullest guarantee to make good—any garment that goes wrong. Our Blue Serge Suits, Black and Blue Unfinished Worsted Suits, in men's and young men's sizes. Even the lowest priced has coats with hand felled collar—for

\$10, \$12, \$15, \$20, \$23, \$25, \$30

LIGHT WEIGHT OVERCOATS

Handsome garments, all made with hand felled collars and cut on the latest models. Garments that are most useful just now.

SPRING OVERCOATS that are more attractive than any we've ever shown. Lined throughout to the edge with pure dye silk; made from fine black Thibets and cheviots and of handsome dark Oxford materials—from Rogers, Peet & Co., and other excellent manufacturers, **\$15 to \$30**

SPRING OVERCOATS of plain Oxford Meltons, Black Thibets and Cheviots, and stylish fancy patterns; serge lined, but all with satin lined sleeves, for **\$10 and up to \$25**

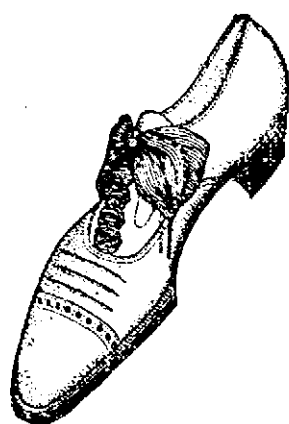
FIELD STOCKS

Stocks are to the fore again. This revival of stocks is noted in New York and we predict a large sale for this comfortable form of neck-dress. We show today the

NEW STOCKS

in white, fancy madras and Roman stripes—the latest fad, for

25c, 50c, 75c,



TAN OXFORDS

\$2.50

We put on sale today, two smart new styles of tan oxfords, in young men's lasts, at a dollar less than these shoes ought to sell for.

Foreseeing the demand for tan shoes, we placed large orders for them last winter, and offer these three-fifty swell styles in tan oxfords for **\$2.50**

Tan, Russet and Brown Low Shoes.

in conservative, round toe easy lasts, and in smart narrow toes, button, lace or buckle, in all leathers,

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that won't fade

Every black Derby hat that we sell is warranted fast color—if a hat fades—we replace it

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smart shapes, just brought out—flat set brims **\$2 to \$4**

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made in sixteenth sizes. As easy to wear as a soft hat. Brown or black, **\$3.50**



PORTLAND WON

Lowell Had the Game
for Seven InningsBUT KENNISTON'S
TROLLEY WENT OFFShannon Back Again in
the Lineup

For seven innings yesterday Lowell had Portland shut out and it looked as if 2 to 0 would be the score at the conclusion of the game. In the eighth, however, Kenniston's trolley went off, a couple of the fielders went mad and the Portland boys piled up three runs and won the game.

Lowell outbatted Portland and showed a superior knowledge of the game but there is always a chance for

the under dog in base ball. Rhoddy was misused on first as he had a bad cold and got a day off. Duff played first and Green tight right. Duff made an error that helped Portland and Green had an opportunity to try for a runner at the plate but didn't try.

Lowell used three pitchers. Greenwell, Warner and Kenniston. In the order named, Greenwell and Warner worked without effort, and got by in fine style, but Kenniston, who put more energy into his work went bad.

The only familiar face in the Portland team was Follansbee, who played third base for Lowell for a time last season. Follansbee played first base for Portland, and it was his hit which scored two runs for the visitors.

Lowell batted twice in the first. Shannon started off with a drive which sent the ball against the right field fence about a foot from the top. This was good for two bases. Wolfe singled to left and Shannon tried to score, but was caught at the plate by a perfect throw by Schroder. Wolfe went to second on the throw. Howard drew a pass. Duff hit to White at third, and the latter stepped on third, forcing out Wolfe. Cutler's beauty to center scored Howard and Duff. Cutler attempted to take second, but was nailed by a throw to Pitcher Thompson, who passed the ball to Follansbee at first, the play being completed at second by Donovan.

In the third, Litts by Greenwell and Wolfe and a base on balls to Shannon didn't help Lowell a little bit. Shannon and Greenwell being caught on between bases and Wolfe languishing.

With two to tie and three to win in

the eighth, Portland negotiated the winning number. Southwell drew a pass. Kelly hit to Harris, who threw to Duff. The latter muffed the ball and Southwell went to third. Chase walked. White tied to right. Southwell scoring after the ball had been caught. Kelly stole second and third. Chase stole second. Schroder walked. With three men on bases, Follansbee singled to left, scoring Kelly and Chase. This was sufficient as Lowell couldn't get a man around the circuit after this stage.

THE SCORE:

PORTLAND.		LOWELL.	
White, 3b	ab	r	bi
Schroder, 1b	3	0	5
Follansbee, 1b	4	0	1
Donovan, 2b	4	0	1
McDonough, rf	4	0	1
Litt, cf	4	0	1
Southwell, ss	4	1	1
Kelly, c	4	1	1
Chase, p	3	1	0
Totals	31	3	4

LOWELL.		AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING.	
Shannon, ss	3	0	1
Wolfe, 2b	3	0	2
Howard, cf	3	1	2
Duff, 1b	4	1	2
Cutler, if	4	0	1
Green, rf	4	0	1
Harris, 3b	4	0	1
Totals	31	3	4

AMERICAN LEAGUE RESULTS.

At New York-New York-Boston game called off on account of rain.	W	L	P
At Philadelphia-Washington 2, Philadelphia 1. Called at end of eighth, rain.	5	5	506
At St. Louis-St. Louis 9, Cleveland 1.	9	5	506
At Detroit-Detroit-Chicago game postponed; cold weather and wet grounds.	8	7	509
At Chicago-Chicago 3, St. Louis 1.	7	7	509
At Brooklyn-Brooklyn 2, Philadelphia 0. (Called end of fifth, rain.)	5	5	509
At Chicago-Chicago 3, St. Louis 1.	8	9	510

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING.

W		L		P	
Chicago	3	3	3	3	3
Pittsburg	7	4	3	7	4
New York	8	4	3	7	4
Boston	7	7	3	7	4
Philadelphia	7	7	3	7	4
Cincinnati	5	6	3	7	4
Brooklyn	6	8	3	7	4
St. Louis	3	10	3	7	4

NATIONAL LEAGUE RESULTS.

At Boston-Boston 3, New York 2.	W	L	P
At Pittsburgh-Pittsburg-Cincinnati game postponed, rain.	7	4	3
At Brooklyn-Brooklyn 2, Philadelphia 0. (Called end of fifth, rain.)	8	7	509
At Chicago-Chicago 3, St. Louis 1.	5	5	509

GAMES TODAY.

N. E. League Opening.	W	L	P
Lowell at Lynn.	7	4	3
Lawrence at Haverhill.	8	4	3
Brookton at New Bedford.	7	7	509
Fall River at Worcester.	5	6	3

American League.

Boston at Philadelphia.	W	L	P
New York at Washington.	7	7	509
Chicago at Detroit.	5	6	3

National League.

Brooklyn at Boston.	W	L	P
Philadelphia at New York.	7	7	509
St. Louis at Chicago.	5	6	3
Cincinnati at Pittsburg.	8	7	509

COLLEGE GAMES.

College Baseball Results.	W	L	P
At Philadelphia-University of Virginia-Pennsylvania game postponed, rain.	7	4	3
At Amherst-Agricultural College 12, Norwich university 4.	8	4	3
At Cambridge-University of Maine 2, Harvard 0.	7	7	509
At Springfield-Bates 5, Springfield	5	6	3

EXHIBITION GAMES.

At Lowell-Portland (Atlantic) 3, Lowell (N. E.) 2.	W	L	P
At Worcester-Worcester, (N. E.) 11, Woonsocket (Atlantic) 2.	7	4	3
At Lynn-Lynn (N. E.) 3, Lewiston (Atlantic) 1.	8	4	3
Melane, c	3	0	0
Greenwell, p	1	0	1
Warner, p	0	0	0
Kenniston, p	1	0	1
Totals	2	0	2

Portland-Lynn (N. E.) 3, Lewiston (Atlantic) 1.

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Honest Values, the reduction of which will be pleasing and beneficial to you if you take the time to investigate what we say.
For facts speak louder than words.

\$4.95 For Men's and Young Men's \$8.50 Nobby Spring Suits.

\$6.95 For Men's and Young Men's \$12.00 Stylish Spring Suits.

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\$11.95 For Men's and Young Men's \$18 Suits.

\$14.95 For Men's and Young Men's \$22 Suits.

CHILDREN'S CLOTHING

Boys' \$2.00 Suits 99c
Boys' \$2.50 Suits \$1.49
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31 TO 41 MERRIMACK STREET

Training school 4, (10 Innings).
At Kingston, R. I.-Rhode Island Agricultural college, 3, Colby 1.

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Lowell-Lynn (N. E.) 3, Lewiston (Atlantic) 1.

Two base hits-Shannon. Duff, Donovan, Southwell, Double play-White and Donovan. Hits-Off Greenwell 1 in 3 Innings; Off Warner 1 in 3 Innings; Off Kenniston 2 in 3 Innings; Struck out by Greenwell 2, by Warner 1, by Kenniston 2, by Chase 2. Stolen bases-Kelly 2, Chase. Time-1:15. Umpire-Price.

DIAMOND NOTES
The season is opened! All up!
The opening games today are Lowell at

SPRING AND SUMMER
STYLISH CLOTHING
also FURNISHINGS

We told you last week that we were giving the greatest bargains ever offered, and the wise bargain hunters were convinced when they saw our stylish suits and saw the prices placed upon them. They said to us, how can you do it? Well the answer is easy, low cost, cash purchases when buying, cash sales to our customers. We never have any bad bills and are satisfied with small profits and our customers get all the benefits when they trade here.

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If your hair is turning gray use Improved Hair Restorer
GOODALE'S DRUG STORE
217 CENTRAL STREET

Lynn; Brockton at New Bedford; Fall River at Worcester; Lawrence at Haverhill.

Frank Shannon is back again and for keeps this time.

Lynn will play at Washington Park tomorrow afternoon and Manager Daley will present his strongest team. The lineup will probably be: Greenwell, p; McLean or Price, c; Rhoddy, 1b; Wolfe, 2b; Shannon, 3b; Harris, 3b; Cutler, if; Howard, cf; Duff, rf.

Harris needs to reach out more. He let an easy looking hit go by yesterday.

Popular Tommy Gutcheon, for so many years with Fall River and Clarence Lowell, he of the "plano-legs" are the only old favorites on the Lynn team and Manager Leonard will present mostly new faces in the lineup tomorrow. Eddie Mulvaney was signed by Lynn but he balked.

"Old Sport" 2nd, John Turner, was forced to forego the pleasure of seeing the game at Lynn today on account of a case in court, but he will be on hand tomorrow afternoon.

Mayor Farham will toss the first ball over the plate and the several candidates for assistant fire engineer will be on hand to root for him.

Chase who pitched for Portland was tried out and abandoned by Billy Hamilton.

BASEBALL NOTES
When Connie Mack returned pitcher Durham to Louisville the Colonels sent Wee Willie Sudhoff back to Canton in Washington.

Col. Davey has called in the red season passes issued to the press and is exchanging cards of a different color for them.

Harry Davis of the Athletics has made a new record in professional baseball. Monday he was at the head of a triple steal and the next day he started times for the first triple play of the year.

Down in the Tri-State league cutting of the bases by first-basemen has become so prevalent that the league now fines the offender \$25, besides having him put out of the game.

Arrie Latham, ex-pis player, third baseman and outfielder, is booked for a berth as manager in the new Union League League.

for his team's chances against Cleveland.

Jake Beckley, who is now playing first base for the Kansas City Blues, says he is 43 years old. He leads the team in batting with .358, and has made 112 putouts and five assists at first base without an error.

Larry Lajole has promulgated an order to the effect that members of his team caught playing cards after 10:30 p. m. shall be fined.

The Cardinals are making money this year. The Robinsons' share of the sale in the Pittsburg series exceeded \$1000.

Jim Harton, Haverhill's clever player from Newport, has just finished a successful season as coach of the college team at Franklin, Ind.

Jesse Lamoureux, the speedy young amateur baseball player of Manchester, through the recommendation of Alex Persson, has been signed by the New Bedford team of the New England League, of which Jimmy Conaven, a former Manchester outfielder, is the manager.

"JACK" BURNS
Popular Infielder Traded to New Britain

"Jack" Burns, the popular second baseman of the Lowell team of last season will not be seen in a Lowell uniform for already he is making a hit as second

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for Colleton, an outfielder, though Colleton has not appeared on the surface as yet.

Frank Connaughton, formerly of Haverhill and Lynn is playing first base and is captain of the New Britain team. Burns thinks New Britain will show up strongly. In a game with Hartford Wednesday Burns made two hits, three runs and started in a double play in the ninth that saved the day.

Wall Street has not caught a "lamblike" spirit from the gentle animals who furnish the adjective. Whoever expected Wall Street to say "Please excuse me. I am a miserable sinner," was not wholly right.

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SHERIFF'S SALE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Middlesex ss. Lowell, April 23, 1908.
Taken on execution in suit vs. the McBride Machine Company, and will be sold at public auction in lots to suit purchasers, on the premises rear of 55 Wilder street, in said Lowell, on Monday, May 4, 1908, at 4:30 o'clock in the afternoon the following described property to wit: All personal property of said McBride Machine Company, on said premises, consisting in part of lot of lathes, machinery and small tools of different kinds, lot of iron, castings, belting, shafting, also roll top desk, large safe, etc.
Terms, cash.
GEORGE F. STILES,
Deputy Sheriff.

By GEO. F. STILES - Auctioneer
32 Hildreth Building, Lowell, Mass.

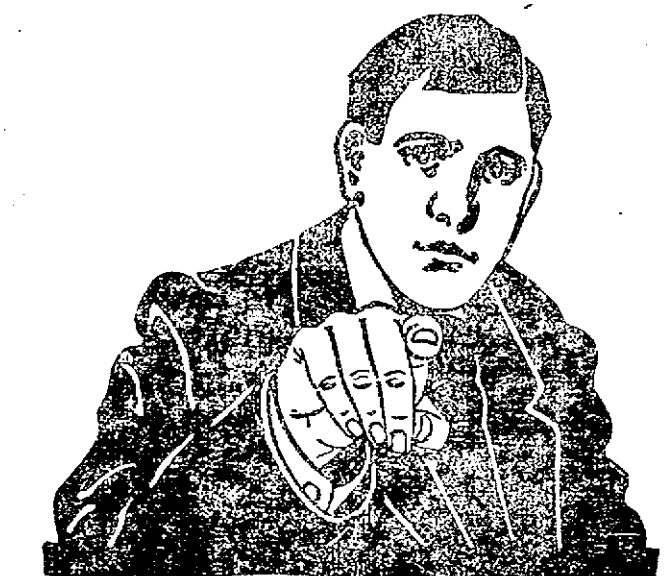
Valuable Real Estate, West 6th Street

On Saturday, May 2, 1908, at 4 o'clock p.m., will be sold at public auction on the premises, No. 52 West Sixth street, 9997 square feet of land with the buildings thereon. A lot so shaped that several buildings can be erected thereon.
Terms at sale.

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GET EVERY PRICE
IN LOWELL

THEN COME HERE



LICENSE MONEY

Debate on Bill Giving it to State

BEGAN IN THE SEN-
ATE YESTERDAY

Amendment to the Bill Offered

BOSTON, May 1.—Senator Cate yesterday ruled that the point of order raised by Representative Dean of Taunton, early in the week regarding the disposition of the liquor license fees was not well taken, and debate on the bill began again at yesterday afternoon's session.

The bill is a re-draft of one submitted early in the session, which provided

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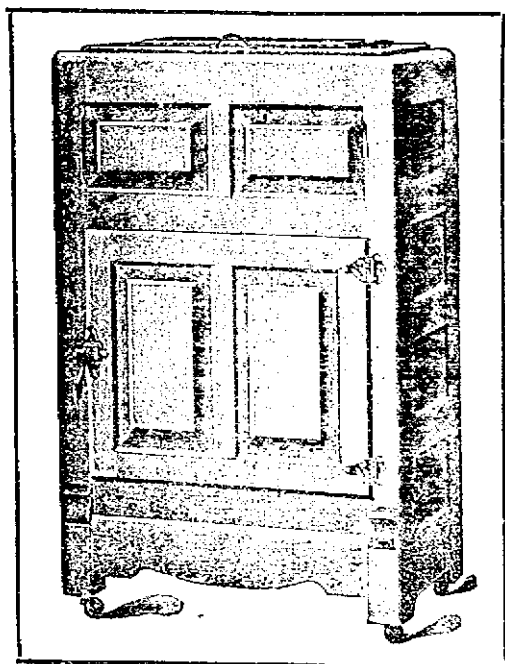
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THE NEW PASTOR

Tendered Reception at
Worthen St. Church

The members and Ladies' society of the Worthen Street M. E. church tendered a reception to their new pastor, Rev. Joseph Wilbur Stephan, and his wife, in the church vestry last night. The vestry was prettily decorated and there was an orchestral music.

Receiving with the pastor and Mrs. Stephan were Mr. and Mrs. W. R. McKinnis, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Stetson, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Sherwood. The ushers were Messrs. Lester L. Willis, W. H. Kyles, and Samuel Worth. Refreshments were served under the direction of the Ladies' Aid society by the following young ladies: Misses Alice Kiddle, Sarah Jessup, Gertrude Brady, Gladys Drury, Daisy Clark, Elsie Smith, Pauline Kiddle, May Quinlan and May Lyne.

There were addresses of welcome by Rev. George J. Dean, of St. Paul's church; Rev. J. M. West, of the Highland church; Rev. A. P. Wedge, of the Worthen St. Baptist, and Dr. C. H. Leitch.

Mr. Stephan replied kindly and feelingly to the addresses of welcome. He said he will do for the church what he can to make it a place of worship and the gospel of Christ in its purity. He said he would not have politics in his sermons and would not indulge in the "higher criticism."

FIGHT IS OVER

Dr. Donlan Took New
Position Today

BOSTON, May 1.—It's just plain "Jim" English today.

Superintendent James English of the Boston almshouse at Long Island yesterday severed his connection with the hard-fought fight, drew the last cent of his two months' vacation money from the city and spoke proudly of the clean bill of health from the board of pauper trustees. "My administration at Long Island was an excellent one," he declared.

Mayor Hibbard wished to get rid of him but without trouble, and the pauper trustees meekly accepted his terms.

Today Dr. Charles Donlan took office.

In discussing conditions at Long Island yesterday with a reporter, English said that all his troubles at the island had been caused mainly by the fact that the old board of trustees "fired" by Mayor Fitzgerald because they resisted an attempt to get rid of him, wanted to run things.

"Although I have nothing but words of praise for the present board of trustees," said English, "the idea of placing a board of trustees over an institution of that kind is bad."

"All kinds of charges were made against me, but I believe that the fact that the finance commission did not take them up is clear proof of their worthlessness."

"Although I was entitled to a civil service hearing under the law since I am a veteran, I realized that it would be hard to retain my position with the mayor against me."

"The place should be kept out of politics. That is the one great danger. Although I was on the civil service, the law was not strong enough to protect me from discharge and it will be the same in the case of every other man who takes the place."

TURKEY SUPPER

SERVED AT THE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.

A turkey supper with all the trimmings was the hammer attraction at the First Baptist church last night. It was given by the Ladies' Benevolent Society of the church and it was all to the good. In one of the class rooms, home-made candy, painted plants and aprons were on sale and there was an entertainment under the direction of Mrs. Albert French. Music was furnished by Mr. Charles Carby and Miss Josephine Dows plant.

Mrs. L. J. Fleming had charge of the flower table, and Mrs. Frederick Perkins of the apron and candy tables. The following young ladies sold the home-made candy: Misses Anderson, Moxley, McLaughlin and McLean.

Mrs. French, president of the society, had general oversight of the supper, with Mrs. Harry F. Cady, chairman, assisted by the following committee:

Mrs. Larkin C. Trull, Mrs. Charles E. Meador, Mrs. H. C. Fuller, Mrs. Charles E. Davis, Mrs. A. P. Swanton, Mrs. Arthur French, Mrs. Loring Trull, Mrs. Evelyn Miley, Mrs. S. W. Hands, Mrs. Alice Trull, Mrs. Fred M. Perkins, Mrs. Mary E. Woodman, Mrs. Frank Spradling, Mrs. W. F. Davis, Mrs. Geo. Fuller, Mrs. L. P. Perrin, Mrs. S. A. Decker, Mrs. Alvin Sturges, Mrs. Kendall.

MRS. L. A. OLNEY

ENTERTAINED MEMBERS OF BUSINESS GIRLS' CLUB.

Mrs. L. A. Olney entertained the members of the business girls' club on Tuesday night at her home on Riverside street. An enthusiastic meeting and delightful time were enjoyed. The business girls' club has been recently organized to cooperate with the association of officers in the promotion and instruction of a stronger camp in vocational work. It is the first of its kind in the city and it is expected that it will be of great benefit to the club. After a few preliminary meetings the club has now completed its organization and has elected the following officers: President, Miss Olga Peters, vice president, Miss Elizabeth Harnett, secretary, Miss Helen Gergen, treasurer, Miss Sarah Sward, Mrs. Olga, Mrs. Wallace, Mrs. Donald, Mrs. Sophia Smith, Miss Michael Meador, Mrs. Wilcox, Mrs. Elmer, Mrs. Smith, who form the association committee on clubs, are ex-officio members of the business girls' club. New members are to be elected to the club to about the number of 20.

CONANT'S BIG SALE.

J. E. Conant & Co., this city will sell all apparel next Thursday, the first of the Armstrong Braiding company at Sandwich, Mass.

Women's Magazine for May at Pattern Counter, Five Cents.

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TAILORED COATS, \$12.98—Built on custom tailor principles, made of high grade striped covert cloth and lined throughout with striped taffeta, \$12.98

TAILORED COATS AT \$10.00—Made in easy fitting style, button through front and notched collar, lined throughout with guaranteed satin. Price \$10.00

TAILOR MADE SUITS, \$12.98—Made from all wool materials in fancy stripes and checks, with new Prince Chap style coat trimmed with self strap; full pleated skirt with bias fold on bottom. \$12.98

TAILOR-MADE SUITS AT \$15.00—Made from Serges, Worsteeds and Chiffon Panamas, in all the desirable shades, with new arrow front style coat and pleated gore tunic skirt with fold on bottom. \$15.00

TAILOR-MADE SUITS AT \$18.75—Made from Worsteeds and shadow striped Panama in all desirable shades, with the latterly semi-fitting coats, prettily trimmed with braid self straps, including several of the latest style skirts with fold on bottom. \$18.75



DRESS GOODS

44-in. Herringbone Stripe Panama—Blue, brown and black, regular 69c value. \$50c Yard

42-in. "Famous Veiling"—We carry every desirable shade and is positively the very best veiling made at the price. \$69c Yard

44-in. Chiffon Shadow Panama—(Brown only), regular price \$1.00, 75c Yard

42-in. French Voile—(Just in), brown, navy and black. 75c Yard

46-in. Wire Voile—Crisp finish; noted for its wearing quality. black only; regular price \$1.25. \$1.00 Yard

WOMEN'S FOOTWEAR

You will find shoes for all occasions in our Queen Quality line for Spring and Summer.

Tan Oxfords and Pump for outing shoes and common wear. Fine patent leather ties for dress wear and many patterns of gun metal calf for hard service. To be well shod this season you must have at least one pair of patents and one pair of tans in your wardrobe.

Queen Quality Oxfords and Pumps. \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50

WOMEN'S OXFORDS AT \$1.49 A PAIR—Patent calf bucklers, with high and low heels; Dongola bluchers, medium toe and heel; brown vict kid oxfords, with flexible soles; and rubber heel oxfords in round cap or plain common sense toes. Exceptional values. \$1.49

WOMEN'S BELTS

Black and Red Patent Leather and White Washable Belts—In all sizes up to 36 inches. 10c

Black Silk Crush Belts—Extra fine with gilt buckle; a regular 50c belt for 25c

Wash Belts—In fancy colored stripes, embroidered white and tuckered linen belts, extra fine for 25c

Extra Size Belts—In washable linen with pearl buckles. 25c

Elastic Jet Belts—Extra values, regular \$1.50 and \$1.75 belts, marked down to 75c and \$1.00

Extra Large Line of Fancy Gilt and Colored Woven Belts, from 50c to \$1.25

BEST GAS TUBING THREE CENTS PER FOOT SATURDAY

WINDOW SCREENS

Better buy now and get the start of the flies.

BEST ADJUSTABLE SCREENS—Made with hard wood sliding frames, covered with best quality wire screen cloth. 19c, 25c, 35c Each

CROWN CORSETS

SPECIAL VALUE FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY.

One of the season's newest models, long back and high bust, made of fine imported batiste and finished with applique edge, with four hose supporters attached; a regular \$1.50 model. Special price \$1.25

SPECIAL SALE OF

TURKISH TOWELS

(In Basement)

One hundred dozen, size 20x45, with fringe; fine bleached towels with heavy nap; regular price 12 1/2c, sale price 10c

A SPECIAL SALE OF

Four and Five Dollar Hats at \$2.98

About 500 of this season's latest creations, including Merry Widow Sailors, Mary Garden, St. Regis, etc. Some trimmed with wings and ribbons, others with flowers, foliage and roses. These are sample hats fresh from a large manufacturer. Regular prices \$1.00 and \$5.00.

Choice for Friday and Saturday \$2.98

LARGE LOT OF READY-TO-WEAR HATS on sale in front of Elevator, at 49c, 69c, 99c, \$1.98



DOMESTIC SPECIALS

(In Basement)

BATES' PLAID GINGHAMS—Regular price 15c, special price 12 1/2c

MERCERIZED PLAID GINGHAMS—Regular price 25c, special price 12 1/2c

36-IN. LIGHT PERCALES—Regular price 12 1/2c, special price 10c

DRESS MUSLINS—In remnants of 1 yard to 10 yards, regular price 12 1/2c, special price 5c

WHITE MERCERIZED WAISTINGS—Regular price 25c, special price 12 1/2c

FOUR SPECIAL WAISTS

For Friday and Saturday

ALL-OVER EMBROIDERED WAISTS—Made with clusters of fine tucking back and front, 3/4 sleeves and tucked collar and cuffs. Extra value for 98c

EMBROIDERED SWISS WAISTS—In tailor-made effect with high tucks, tucked back, laundered collar and 3/4 sleeves. Extra value for \$1.49

FINE BATISTE WAISTS—With front made of German Val insertion, fine tucking and flit medallion. Lace trimmed back and sleeves, and lace trimmed collar and cuffs. Extra value for \$1.99

NET GUIMPS—With yoke made of heavy medallions, lace insertion and ruffled edge, back and front, ruffled sleeves and pointed collar, white or ecru. Extra value for \$2.98

UMBRELLAS

200 LADIES' UMBRELLAS—New style handles, worth \$1.00, your choice while they last. 69c

CHILDREN'S SCHOOL UMBRELLAS—Will wear longer than two size ones, only. 69c Each

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Santalwood Powder20 .17
Puffs, set of 8 \$1.25 .98
Rubber Gloves40 .45

LARGE LINE OF HAMMOCKS NOW ON SALE—98c, TO \$7.98

SPECIAL SHOWING IN INFANTS' DEPARTMENT

Second Floor

MUSLIN BONNETS—Trimmed with lace and Hamburg insertion and ribbon rosette; special for 50c
Other styles up to 25c to \$5.98

LEGHORN HATS—Trimmed with ribbon and pom poms; special for \$1.50
Other styles up to \$3.98

FANCY SILK HATS—Made with silk tan crown and rosette of maline, ribbon and fancy straw; special for 50c
Other styles from 25c to \$5.00

GUIMPS—Made of fine muslin, yoke trimmed with three rows of Hamburg insertion and clusters of fine tucking, neck and sleeves trimmed with hemstitched ruffles; special for 50c
Other styles up to \$1.49

CHILDREN'S DRESSES—Made of nainsook, yoke of fine tucking and trimmed with Hamburg insertion and lace edge, sizes 6 months to 3 years; special for 50c
Other styles up to \$10.00

MUSLIN DRESSES—Made low neck and short sleeves with fancy yokes and tucked skirts; special for 98c



In this department we carry a large line of Boots, Shoes, Moccasins and Sandals. 25c to 75c
Other styles up to \$2.98

FRENCH DRESSES—Made of fine lawn with hemstitched tucked collar and yoke, high and low neck, for ages 3 years to 5 years; special for \$1.25

CHILDREN'S COATS—Long style, in cashmere, Bedford cord and silk. \$1.75 to \$10.00

CHILDREN'S SHORT COATS—In linen, flannel, Bedford cord, pique silk, gold red and fancy stripes. \$1.98 to \$7.50

CHILDREN'S SKIRTS—Lace and Hamburg trimmed. 33c to \$1.50

INFANTS' SLIPS—Lace and Hamburg and hand embroidered in silk and muslin. 25c to \$10.00

INFANTS' JACKETS—In wool and cashmere, 25c to \$2.98

INFANTS' EMBROIDERED BLANKETS, from 50c to \$3.98

BEAUTY WAISTS—In sizes from 1 year to 4 years, ranging in prices. 25c to 50c

POLICE BOARD

Granted a Number of
Minor Licenses

NOTICE TO LUNCH
CART OWNERS

That They Must Vacate
Public Stands

Last night the board held another
long meeting, lasting from 8:30 o'clock
till eleven. The board issued the fol-
lowing statement relative to lunch
carts:

"The board voted unanimously that
the superintendent be authorized to
notify the proprietors of lunch carts
to vacate public stands until such
time as licenses for same are obtained
from the board of aldermen."

The board granted the following li-
censes:

Billards and pool: Joseph A. Cassi-
dy, 479 Broadway; James H. Buckley
& Co., 491 Middle street, 171 Central
street; Duffy Brothers, 220 Bridge
street; William Scott, 157-159 Middle-
sex street; William Ryan, 286 Bridge
street; Samuel Scott, 31 Central street
and 35 Prescott street; George M.
Campbell, 11-13 Merrimack square;
Thomas L. Fitzgerald, 465 Merrimack
street; Peter Anastopoulos, 479 Mar-
ket street; Ulysses Mazzoni, 582 Mid-
dlessex street; Frank J. N. Luechelt
& Co., 495 Middlesex street; Cox &
Donohoe, 135 Middle street; Felix Ro-
chette, 12 Race street; Edward Tryon,
307 Marmoth road; Sam Dupont, 767
Moody street; Timothy O'Neill, Jr.,
corner Fayette and Andover streets;
A. C. Picerno, 35 Summer street; Bo-
gos Krikorian, 102 Lakewood avenue;
William Latendresse, 171 Aiken street;

Albert Bradley, 460 Merrimack street;
Adolphe T. Hanson, 746 Gorham street;
James P. Dugdale, 359 Market street;
Joseph Daigle, 365 Moody street; John
J. Conlon, 27 Shattuck street; U. S.
Taber & Co., 129 Middle street; Wil-
liam St. George, 61 Aiken street; Henry
Chaput, 12 Aiken street; John J. Lee,
453 Bridge street; Edward W. Cush-
ing, Middlesex street; James Petros,
27 Adams street; D. Bernardini, 209
Dutton street; Peter Carampoulos, 529
Merrimack street; Damiano de George,
327 Central street; Henry F. Carr, 68
Gorham street; Robert Farrell, 11 Wat-
son street.

Junk collectors—Nathan Greenbaum,
70 Chelmsford street; Maurice
Schwartz, 115 Howard street; Julius
Goldman, 12 Watson avenue; John J.
Smith, 27 Penn avenue.

Hawker and peddler—Alfred Watson,
30 Denson street.
Fish cart—Carl Noyes, 132 B street.
Intelligence office—Elva Nicholson,
104 Central street.

Second hand clothing—Jke Zedlin, 322
Middlesex street.

Express—Thomas Casey, 243 Apple-
ton street; Eugene E. Stoughton, 27
Midland street; Stanley Transportation
company, 12 Thordike street.

Pawn broker—Francis J. Melton, 124
Central street.

Common victualler—James Kalakos,
352 Suffolk street; Michael Kouni-
contoureas, 599 Market street; Cun-
ningham & Farnsworth, 618 Gorham
street; Mrs. Catherine Charters, 63
Newhall street; John Norris, 119 Pow-
ell street; William H. Thatcher, Law-
rence street; F. E. Putnam, 13 Pres-
cott street; Chin Lee & Co., 117 Mer-
rimack street; John Lisotte, 124 Cheev-
er street; John Savacos, 34 Suffolk
street; Mrs. Athine Jodoin, 30 Camp-
bell street; Abraham Paronagin, 313
Central street; Cameron Brothers, 155
Middlesex street; Mrs. John J. Har-
rington, 93 John street; Mrs. Mary
McMillan, 278 Central street; Mrs. Jo-
seph Patton, 1 and 2 Dutton street;
Edward Mooney, 38 Suffolk street;
Mrs. A. P. Saunders, 282 Appleton
street; Mrs. Cora A. Tobey, 111 West-
ford street; Mary F. Saxe, 209-211
Westford street.

AT HIGHLAND CHURCH.

So great was the success of the enter-
tainment given at the Highland Con-
gregational church Wednesday evening
that it was repeated last evening. The audi-
ence was large and the success of Wed-
nesday evening was repeated.

\$90,000 DAMAGE

Big Fire Broke Out in
Lynn

STARTED IN PROVI-
SION STORE

Lodging House District
Was Threatened

LYNN, May 1.—The big provision
store of the J. B. Blood company in
Lynn, one of the largest stores under
one roof in New England, was dam-
aged by fire last night to the extent of
\$90,000. Only desperate efforts on the
part of the firemen prevented a con-
flagration in the thickly settled lodg-
ing house district.

The fact that the loss was not twice
as great was due to the heroic action
of Capt. Welch of chemical 1. Driver
Marlin of chemical 1 and Special Of-
ficer Connelly. When these men
reached the scene they rushed into the
building and closed the fire doors be-
tween the burning section and the an-
nex, thus preventing the flames from
spreading.

Capt. Welch was overcome by
smoke and was carried out by his
companions. Marlin had his hand man-
gled. Later in the evening, Capt. H. B.
Avery of engine 1 was overcome by
smoke, but he was able to return to
work. Emory Garden of engine 3 was
cut by glass, and William Moore of
engine 4 had a narrow escape from a
falling wall.

An investigation will be started to
find the cause of the fire. There was
nobody in the part where the fire
started, and it was not near the boilers.
The only men in the building, be-
sides the watchman, were 10 bakers on
the second floor of the annex.

THE PRIZE DRILL

Won by Corporal Gren-
ier of Company G.

The annual individual prize drill of
Company G, Sixth regiment, M. V. M.,
was held at the state armory in West-
ford street last night and the gold
medal was won by Corp. A. H. Grenier.
Sergeant Walter Roberts won the silver
medal.

The drill was well attended, 27 men
marching on the floor shortly after
eight o'clock. Lieut. Thomas Doyle
was in command. After being put
through a number of movements there
was a wedding out and after the men
had returned to the floor for the fifth
time there were but five men in the
squad. The five men were Sergeant
Roberts, Corp. Farrell, Corp. Grenier, Corp.
Weeks and Private McGookin.

After some difficulty the choice was
arrived at and the judges awarded the
medals as above mentioned. Honorable
mention was given to the three other
men in the final squad for their work.

The judges were Capt. Philip Mc-
Nulty of Co. M, Ninth regiment; Capt.
Colby T. Kittredge, paymaster, attached
to the Sixth regiment, and Capt.
Louis G. Hinton, commissary, attached
to the Sixth regiment. Capt. Mc-
Nulty made the presentation speeches.
A company drill was given and was
executed with general excellence. Col.
Priest and Maj. Sweetser of the Sixth
regiment were present and expressed
themselves as well pleased at the ex-
hibition.

A COTILLION

WAS HELD BY VESTA PHI SIGMA
FRATERNITY.

The Vesta Phi Sigma Fraternity
held a violet cotillion in Associate hall
last night. The party was a violet
party in every sense of the word.
There were violet dresses, violet favors,
in the cotillion, while the decorations
were also violet.

The general manager was Joseph J.
Higgins, while Matthew J. Dunfee was
the floor director. The dancing began
at 8:15 o'clock and continued until mid-
night, with a brief intermission. The
favors for the cotillion were unusually
pretty. The men received violet col-
ored hats, while the young ladies got
violet parasols.

The cotillion was led by Mr. Higgins
and Miss Ethel Dunfee.

MASS. MILITIA

RANKS FOURTH COMPARED WITH
OTHER STATES.

The primary sum of \$385,000 has
been disbursed by the United States gov-
ernment in paying the United States Revo-
lutionary war, according to figures just
published by the department of commerce
and labor.

In the regular army there are 600,000
soldiers and 100,000 enlisted men. In the
organized militia there are 2,000,000 of the
total states there are 800,000 and 200,000
of the militia. Massachusetts ranks fourth,
with 200,000 officers and 100,000 enlisted men.
The military strength of Nevada shows a
remarkable condition, there being a
drop to eight officers and two enlisted men.

FIRE ALARM

CAUSED BY BLAZE IN MOLLA-
HAN BARN.

The alarm from box 35 at 3 o'clock
yesterday afternoon was for a fire in a
barn owned by Peter Molihan in up-
per Gorham street. The same building
was badly burned about one month
ago and it is thought that sparks from
passing engines were responsible for
both fires. There was nothing of value
in the barn and the damage was to the
building alone.

If you want help at home or in your
business, try The Sun "Want" column.

SHE IS OVER 103

Mrs. Deslauriers is Celebrating
Her Birthday

Wonderful Old Lady Perhaps the
Oldest in the State—Her Facul-
ties and Vision Still Clear

Mrs. Pierre Legault-Deslauriers,
probably the oldest woman in the Old
Bay State, is today observing her
birthday anniversary. She has made
the century run and three milestones
beyond. She is 103 years old today and
while her mental faculties are not as
strong as when the body was younger,
the natural wear of years is upon her
and she is now the living monument of
a remarkable chain of years, a chain
with links numbering 103, some welded



MRS. PIERRE DESLAURIERS.

with pain and others tempered with
joy. And despite the fact that this
grand old lady looks back longingly
and sometimes tearfully upon the
years of her girlhood, yet with calm
resignation she faces the inevitable
and loves the lines of the hymns of
death.

This dear old lady makes her home
with a daughter, Mrs. J. B. de Pont-
brand, at 10 Aiken avenue. She is
tendered all the love and care that lov-
ing hearts can furnish. Her birthday
is being quietly observed and she ap-
preciates all that is being done for her
comfort and entertainment.

Mrs. Pierre Legault-Deslauriers was
born May 1, 1805, at Saint-Laurent,

Que. She was baptized there May 3,
1805, and has her baptismal certificate
showing her authentic age to be 103.
Her maiden name was Elmire Forget.
She was married in 1840, at the age of
35. She had five daughters, four of
whom are living. Mrs. J. B. Pont-
brand and Mrs. Napoleon de Pontbrand,
both married to brothers, and Mrs.
Ephrem Major, all three of Lowell, and
Mrs. Julie Noel of Montreal.

She has 10 grandchildren and nine
great-grandchildren. The grandchild-
ren are Mrs. Leo Vezina, Misses
Salome, Donathilde and Marie Jeanne
de Pontbrand, and Mr. John de Pont-
brand, children of Mr. and Mrs. J. B.
de Pontbrand; Mrs. Frederic Bousquet,
daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Napoleon de
Pontbrand, and Mrs. Ludger La-
pointe, children of Mr. and Mrs.
Ephrem Major, all of Lowell. The
great-grandchildren are Leo Beatrice
and Antonette Major, children of
Ephrem Major; Beatrice and Gregorio
Lapointe, children of Mr. and Mrs.
Ludger Lapointe; Dorinda, Frederic
and Maria Bousquet, children of Mr.

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ready on the mend and pros-
pects brighter.

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us. The pay-
ments can be
arranged so
that you can
meet them and
yet be well
within your
means. It's
only a wise way
of buying your
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Men's Suits at \$15.00

A popular price and one that affords us a good
opportunity to make a showing. Serges, chevots
and worsteds appear at this price. Models that
have been pronounced satisfactory, patterns that
have the right tone. It's a line we are proud to
show, and still more so to have you by a suit
from it.

and Mrs. Frederic Bousquet, and Inel-
da Vezina, child of Mr. and Mrs. Leo
Vezina. The youngest great-grand-
child, is little Antonette Major, a year
old.

THE ZION CLUB

Will Have Its Last
Practice Tomorrow

The members of the Zion Cricket
club will turn out tomorrow afternoon
for practice on the South Lowell
grounds. This will be the last prac-
tice game before the opening of the
season. The first eleven for the first
three or four games of the season will
be chosen from the players who show
up the best in practice games. In-
cluded in the first few games on the
club schedule this year are such teams
as Methuen, last year's champions,
Melrose, East Boston, Cambridge and
Lynn Wanderers.

The "Derby Day" will be held on the
Zion grounds, May 16, when the Zions
will line up against the Mahairs. This
will no doubt be a keen contest and the
gentlemanly character of cricketers on
both teams will be displayed.

The regular monthly meeting of the
club will be held Wednesday evening,
May 6.

On Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock,
the Buntings will open the cricket sea-
son with an exhibition game on the
Bunting grounds in South Lowell and
the strong Fitchburg team will be
their opponents. The Fitchburg team
has been greatly strengthened over
last year; several new players having
joined them since they were here last.
The visitors are classed as the best
team in the Central Massachusetts
league, and they will no doubt play
the game of their life on Saturday, as
they are anxious to go through the
season without a defeat. The players
who will represent the Buntings are
as follows: Hugh Rudden, captain;
Joe Patrick, Herbert Rowley, Walter
Trotter, J. H. Hoyle, Geo. Bailey, Wil-
liam Scholz, Thomas Stockton, Wil-
liam Bingley, J. W. H. Walker, George
Pickup, Reserves, Charles Dyson and
Sam Burt. Umpire, John Barton Allen.
Scorer, John Moss.

The Indians and North Billerics will
meet on the crease Saturday afternoon
at Fordway park, North Billerics. The
Indians have been in practice and ex-
pect to pull off victors. The Indians
will line up as follows: Four, Dal-
ton, Cunniff, Unsworth, McLaure, Dal-
ton, Bourke, Bellfield, Loughlin, Gallagher,
Hardy, McLaughlin, Edwards, Mc-
Mauve.

MAY LOSE HAND

WOMAN PRICKED BLISTER WITH
A BRASS PIN.

HAVERHILL, May 1.—Nellie Ogle
was committed to the jail at Law-
rence yesterday to receive surgical
treatment which she needs badly, and
the physicians who have examined her
injuries believe that she is in danger
of losing her left hand, the result of
pricking a blister with a brass pin
which has caused blood poisoning. The
court this morning agreed that the
jail hospital was the best place for her
for a while, a sentence of 20 days be-
ing imposed on a drunkenness com-
plaint.

\$2500 NECKLACE

WAS FOUND IN STREET BY A COAL
MAN.

BERLIN, May 1.—A necklace valued
at \$2500, presented to the wife of the im-
perial court tenor, Fritz Kraus, as a
souvenir of his concert tour of the United
States was lost about four years ago.
Yesterday a poor widow went to a jew-
eler and asked him to give her a small sum
of money for a necklace, because she
was in need of food. The jeweler im-
mediately recognized the value of the neck-
lace and called in the police. The woman
explained that a coal man who was
counting her husband's money had picked it
up in the street and regarded it as of little value.
He gave it to the widow's little daughter
for a plaything.

Mrs. Kraus read a report of the case in
the newspapers and yesterday identified
the necklace as her property.

HOUDINI'S FEAT

CHAINED, HE JUMPED OVERBOARD
AND FREED HIMSELF.

BOSTON, May 1.—Houdini turned the
trick in 40 seconds yesterday noon at
Harvard bridge.

Fully 2000 persons crowded the bridge,
the wall back of Beacon street and along
the roadway to see his sensational plunge
into the Charles river while heavily man-
acled, with his hands behind his back,
and chained in a manner to prevent him
from throwing them over his head while
taking the plunge.

After an inspection of his shackles,
they were put on him by policeman John
Griffiths of division 2. The signal was
given for the start, and Houdini went
overboard from 14 to 15 feet of water.

Various watches caught his time from
the plunge until he came to the surface
with the shackles in his hands, the time
ranging from 31 to 35 seconds. Houdini
said it was 40 seconds, timing himself by
pulse beats.

Among those present on the bridge
were Mayor Hibbard of this city and
Mayor Wardwell of Cambridge. Their
presence was not a good omen, however,
and they missed the plunge.

AYER SELECTMEN

MAINE POLICE AND FIRE DEPART-
MENT APPOINTMENTS.

The selectmen of Ayer have made
the following appointments:
Engineers, fire department, Chief A.
A. Fillebrown, C. H. Hardy, P. H.
Hosley, Night Police Officer William
Mullin, Forest fire warden, H. E. San-
derson.

SUPT. HILDRETH

PRESENTED GOLD WATCH, CHAIN
AND CHARM.

Supt. W. O. Hildreth, of the Town
Consolidated Store Service Co., who
has resigned his position, was pre-
sented a handsome gold watch and
chain and Masonic charm last night.
A. A. Farmer, chief of the shipping
department, made the presentation
speech. Mr. Hildreth responded and
spoke of the pleasant relations he had
had with the men during the five years
he was superintendent.

SOME
SENSIBLE
SEASONABLE
SUGGESTIONS

Waists of fine lawn or
batiste, yokes of embroidery
or lace, odd sizes that were
\$1.97, now reduced 97c
to

Drawers of good cotton,
umbrella ruffle trimmed with
embroidery or lace, not worth
49c but a big bargain 29c
at

Waists of fine lawn or
batiste, trimmed front, back
and sleeves, most of them are
worth \$2.98, this \$1.97
week

White cambric petticoats,
lace and embroidery trimmed,
discontinued styles
that were \$1.00 now 69c

Most of our \$2.50 and
\$2.97 white petticoats now
reduced to \$1.00

White seersucker petticoats
do not require much ironing.
69c, 85c, \$1.00

Novelty petticoats in all
the new styles, stripes and
solid colors, very
unusual at \$1.97

Tailor made waists of lawn
or soisette in a variety of
styles and trimmings, some
with the new Auto gauntlet
cuff, in some stores \$1.25
and \$1.49, here for 97c

Petticoats of sateen, mo-
reen, seersucker or gingham,
most of them were 69c
\$1.00, while they last

All our lace waists former-
ly priced up to \$4.50, now
marked \$2.97 and \$3.97

10 new styles of shirt
waist suits at \$3.50

THE WHITE STORE
114—Merrimack Street—116

MANY COMPLAINTS

MAN, ACCOSTING WOMEN IN
THE HIGHLANDS.

The police have received numerous
complaints from the Highlands, in the
vicinity of Lane, Westford and Liberty
streets, of a man who has been ac-
costing women on the street. The man
is described as being on the street
between nine and eleven o'clock at
night. As a result of the complaints
plain clothes men of the police depart-
ment have been in the lookout for the
man.

SPOKE AT HAVERHILL

Maxime To plan, representative to
the central executive board of the Ar-
mens society, Dr. A. G. Payette of this
city, O. A. Bourke of Worcester, or-
ganizer general of the society, and Mr.
Armenbach of Montreal, one of the
supreme officers, spoke last night at
the inauguration of a new court of the
society at Haverhill.

The Stability

of its foundation;

The Reliability

of its news;

The Capability

of its staff;

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Bedroom Furniture

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signs coupled with good, sound con-
struction in bedroom furniture. A large
amount of the furniture now-a-days is
covered with cheap and meaningless or-
naments which simply conceal a low
grade of material and flimsy construction.
The styles you find at Adams' are made
on lines that are very appropriate to the
design of bedroom furniture. Nothing
fussy about them and not too elaborate to
disturb the effect of quietness and restful-
ness. The light, dainty maple and curly
birch woods and rich handsome mahogany,
also the standard quartered oak, in a
variety greater than we ever had before.

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save money by doing your Friday and Saturday trad-
ing here.

HEAD & SHAW THE MILLINERS
169 Merrimack St.

LEAGUE SEASON

Was Opened in New England Today

IN FOUR OF THE EIGHT CITIES

Worcester, Lynn, Haverhill, New Bedford

BOSTON, May 1.—The championship season of the New England league of baseball clubs opens today in four of the eight cities holding franchises in the league. Opening ceremonies preceded the game in each city, among which was Worcester, where team captured last year's pennant. The banner was not unfurled, however, "pennant day" being arranged for a later date. Today's games were at Worcester, where Fall River was the opposing team, at Lynn, where Lowell played, at Haverhill, where the Lawrence team opened the season, and at New Bedford, where the Brockton side appeared.

This year, as was the case last season, the league is composed of a circuit confined to Massachusetts cities, although at one time its membership was scattered throughout the New England states.

BAVAR IS GUILTY

Convicted of Murdering Four Persons

CANTON CITY, Colo., May 1.—Anton Bavar was last night found guilty of the quadruple murder of Mrs. Frank Trimetto, Tricola Buffetti, Dominik and Joe Minichello, the jury recommending that the defendant be sentenced to life imprisonment in the penitentiary at hard labor.

WORKING GIRLS

TO BE RECEIVED BY PRES. AND MRS. ROOSEVELT.

WASHINGTON, May 1.—President and Mrs. Roosevelt will receive at the White House this evening a delegation of six hundred wage earning young women from seven eastern states, representing the National League of Women Workers now holding its convention in this city.

The young women are here principally on pleasure and little business will be transacted.

Wu Ting Fang, the Chinese minister, among others will address their meetings tonight and tomorrow.

BRUSH FIRE

THREATENED SCHOOL AT GOLDEN COVE.

A brush fire supposed to have been started by children at Golden Cove yesterday, burned over two acres and for a time threatened the Golden Cove school building and Stearns' grove. The fire department was called.

LIVELY BLAZE

HOUSE AND BARN BURNED AT BROOKSIDE.

The cottage house and barn of Michael L. McGlinchey, situated in Brookside, near the Chelmsford line, were burned yesterday afternoon, a defective chimney causing the fire. The horses, carriages, and furniture were all saved. The property is valued at \$1,000.

MARRIAGE INTENTION.

Athanasio Platanitis (widowed), 33, mill operative, 452 Market street, and Marigo Xanthopoulos, 21, mill operative, 482 Market street.

Nobby voile dress skirts at Chris Holmes' sale, 15 and 29 Merrimack street.

A Grand Opportunity BUY A HOME

PUT YOUR MONEY IN THE GROUND. A run will break the strongest bank, but a run on lots will double their value.

Free Cars LEAVE MERRIMACK SQUARE AT 1.50 P.M. THURSDAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY Office Open Evenings. Salesmen on the land Sunday.

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SKETCH SHOWING HOW THE YOUNG GREEK GIRL WAS PROBABLY SITTING WITH HER FEET THROUGH THE OPENING ON THE BALCONY. THE STAR SHOWS WHERE SHE WAS SITTING ON THE UPPER BALCONY FROM WHICH SHE FELL TO THE RIVER.

FELL INTO CANAL

Creek Girl Meets Tragic Death

HANGING CLOTHES ON BALCONY

Body Recovered Three Hours Later

Herakleia Gervonios, aged 17, residing at 183 Suffolk street, in a district known to the residents of that section as Johnstown, accidentally fell into the canal in the rear of her home about 7 o'clock, last evening and was drowned.

MEXICAN SENATE

FAVORS SENDING THREE MINISTERS TO CENTRAL AMERICA.

CITY OF MEXICO, May 1.—The senate has approved the appointment of the three ministers to the Central American states and the formal notice has been sent to the department of foreign affairs.

Following are the appointments for the three locations.

Minister plenipotentiary to Guatemala and Salvador with residence in Guatemala, Luis G. Parla.

Minister plenipotentiary to Honduras with residence in Tegucigalpa, Jose Manuel Gutierrez Zamora.

Minister resident to Nicaragua and Costa Rica, Bartolome Carballo y Rosas, who is now charge d'affaires in the country of the Atlantic side of South America.

JURORS WANTED

Lowell Must Send Down Twenty Men

Constable Lapierre, this morning, served a writ of venire on the city clerk calling for 20 traverse jurors to serve at the superior criminal court which will come in at Cambridge, May 16. The board of aldermen will draw jurors next Tuesday night.

This is the largest batch that Lowell has been asked to send for many moons, and the biggest in the minds of the older heads at city hall. The city clerk was unable to assign a reason for so great a demand, but he and others allowed that it pointed to something doing. The stoney little writ, however, simply made the demand and didn't offer any explanations.

A HUGE RENT

ON PORT SIDE OF SUNKEN STEAMER.

TOKIO, May 1.—An official report from the Japanese cruiser Matsushima, sunk by an explosion in the harbor of Makanz, Pescadore islands, on April 18, says that the divers discovered a huge rent on the port side. The after deck is battered and the interior wreckage prevents the removal of many bodies. The bodies of the captain and commander of the cruiser have been recovered.

THE AVON CO.

IS VOLUNTARILY CLOSING UP ITS AFFAIRS.

WINDSOR, N. S., May 1.—The Avon Marine Insurance Co., which has been in business more than fifty years, is voluntarily closing up its affairs. Liquidators have been appointed in the persons of President Shaw and J. E. Curran and they are empowered to terminate the business of the company without further action by the stockholders.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

The members of Eirene lodge, I. O. G. T., met at the home of Mrs. James Corbett, 12-Durant street, last night, and enjoyed a series of phonograph selections and readings by Thomas Mack.

CHAS. LOVERING

Treas. of Merrimack Mfg. Co. Dead

WAS CONNECTED WITH OTHER MILLS

And Trustee of Mass. Inst. of Technology

TAUNTON, May 1.—Charles Lovering, widely known in manufacturing circles and treasurer of the Merrimack Manufacturing Co., died at his home here today. He was connected with many manufacturing corporations and also was a trustee of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. He was 76 years of age.

MISSOURI MEN

LIKELY TO SUPPORT BRYAN FOR PRESIDENT.

WASHINGTON, May 1.—Rep. David Deamond of Missouri in an address before the District of Columbia Democratic association last night declared that the people of Missouri look upon William Jennings Bryan as the logical candidate for the presidency and that Missouri's delegates will support him unanimously at the Denver convention.

HEAVY WEATHER

PREVENTED STEAMERS FROM LANDING PASSENGERS.

QUEENSTOWN, May 1.—The White Star line steamers Cedric from New

TO LET

TO LET—Newly papered and painted tenement on Mead st., near Whipple. Inquire 16 Floyd st.

TO LET—6-room tenement with bath, hot and cold water, etc., on Mt. Washington st. Inquire at 55 Varney st.

TO LET—Five rooms, pantry, bath, at 40-41 Barclay st., \$11, \$12. Apply to The Phillips & Schatz Furniture Co., 332 Middlesex st.

TO LET—At 43 Moody st., a 6-room cottage and stable. Telephone 1853-2.

TO LET—Newly furnished rooms with hot and cold water. Also suite of rooms. Apply at 116 Middlesex st. or 30 Elliott street.

TO LET—To a small, neat American family, a five room tenement in thorough repair, 175 Pleasant st., Dracut Navy Yard. Opposite post office, near stores, schools, churches and excellent car service. Price \$5 per month. References required. Apply 75 Westford st., city.

TO LET—8-room upstairs tenement at 58 Tyler st. Apply to Geo. H. Walker, 216 Central st., Care Bartlett & Dow.

TO LET—Desirable tenement, 37 South Loring st., 6 rooms, modern improvements, moderate rent. Inquire 17 Nicollet street.

TO LET—Butterfield st., upstairs flat of 5 rooms and bath. Rent \$14. Apply to Henry Miller & Son, 5 Wyman's Exchange.

TO LET—Elegant 7-room ten. on Gibson street. Every modern convenience, \$22 a month. 5 room ten. on Chelmsford st., \$19 a month. 7 room ten. on Grove st., bath, \$16 a month. Eugene G. Russell, 497 Middlesex st., near depot.

TO LET—Tenement of four rooms, will rent low for small family. Inquire 186 Lawrence st.

TO LET—Furnished rooms, good location, rates reasonable. 224 Riverside st., upper bell.

TO LET—A furnished front suite of rooms, suitable for light housekeeping. Inquire 6 Stockpole st.

TO LET—Modern 8-room tenement, 339 Riverside st., Pawtucketville.

TO LET—Furnished room with board, widow with child preferred; would care for child during the day. Write Y. Sun Office.

TO LET—Floor space, 6x10 ft., with or without power. Room 2033 (C), also office, car market and Shattuck st. Apply at "Engine Room," 243 Market st.

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QUINCY HOUSE—To let, splendid furnished rooms with or without board at 53 Lee street, electric lights, hot and cold baths, all home comforts; all rooms very clean.

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York for Liverpool and Cymric, Boston for Liverpool, passed here at three o'clock this morning. Both vessels proceeded without having landed passengers or mail owing to the heavy weather prevailing.

FOR SALE

SINGLE COMB White Leghorns, money back for all unfertile eggs. These are nice ones, 50c for 12 eggs; also a few birds. Robert Scott, 102 Epping st., Wiganville.

FOR SALE—A go-cart with leather hood, at a big bargain. Inquire at Sun Office.

FOR SALE—Kitchen stove, dining room table, kitchen table, bed, baby carriage, spring and mattress, dishes and sundries, only been used 6 months. Apply 2 Coulton's court, Fayette st., East Merrimack st.

FOR SALE—Four to five thousand feet of second hand lumber, right here in the city. Suitable for camps, benches, etc. Must be moved at once. Write M. Sun Office.

IMPROVED WHITE LEGHORNS. Walkart strains. The best known layers from a carefully selected pen. Price 75 cents per setting of 12. Mrs. Will Bell, 64 Humphrey st., Lowell.

FOR SALE—On Fifth st., large cottage house, with stable, furnace and bath. Apply Alton Miller, 59 Fifth st.

BARRED PLYMOUTH ROCK eggs for setting, 50 cents for 12, from choice pen. Apply W. H. Boyd, 519 Lawrence st.

FOR SALE—A number of hardy canaries and singing birds at a bargain. Call at M. Murphy's, 591 Gorham st. Get one for your home.

FOR SALE—Three good farm or grocery horses right out of the business, weigh from 1200 to 1500 lbs. Reason for selling, no more use for them. 370 Merrimack st.

FOR SALE—Furnished boarding house, will sell cheap, owner leaving city. Inquire 65 East Merrimack st.

FOR SALE—First class meat refrigerator of the latest design with glass front, almost new, will sell on easy terms. Inquire at 45 Hildreth Bldg. or telephone 188.

FOR SALE—Butcher's ice chest almost new, \$212, oak finished, will sell cheap. Call Flynn's Market, 137 Gorham st.

WANTED

WANTED—We want your trade for the City White Tooth and Mouth Wash. It is all right. Butler's Drug Store, 391 Middlesex st.

WANTED—Second hand furniture, antique furniture, etc. A. E. Edwards, 137 Fletcher st. Tel. 197-5.

WANTED—Rooms papered, \$1.75; rooms painted, \$1.25; whitewashed, 50c. All work guaranteed. Shop address, 41 Lakeview ave. Benard & Mullin.

WANTED—In a private sanitarium in the outskirts of the city, an aged or invalid person, to board, clean, nurse. Inquire Mrs. Blanchard, 53 Pleasant st., Dracut Centre. Tel.

WANTED—Old fashioned furniture, feather beds. Guarantee to pay double the amount of any other buyer. Send order to P. Welner & Co., Gen. Delivery, Lowell.

WANTED—The people to call at 113 Appleton st. for coal, coke, mill kindlings, slabs and hard wood. Griffin, Tel. 683.

WANTED—We want your trade for dry kindling, hard and slab wood, also coal and coke on hand. Wood Yard, 23 Concord st. Tel. 279-1.

HELP WANTED

WANTED—A few ladies of business ability for agents and managers. Commission salary and expenses to competent people. Apply from 12 to 6 p. m. to Miss Masters, 114 Appleton st.

THE BASEBALL MAGAZINE wants live solicitors. An excellent proposition. Address Mr. Glenister, Room 605, 85 Broad st., Boston, Mass.

TABLE GIRL wanted at 110 Powell st.

WANTED—An experienced seamstress at 197 Merrimack st., Room 6.

CIGAR SALESMAN wanted. Experience unnecessary. \$30 per month and expenses. Peppercorn Cigar Co., Toledo, O.

WANTED—Boy with some experience on soda fountain. Call 21 Angover st.

WANTED—First class trimmer at once. Apply Boston Millinery Store, 56 Bridge st.

WANTED—Middle aged lady for general housework and care for child six years old, country woman preferred. Address H. W. Marshall, Hudson, N. H., R. F. D. No. 1.

WANTED—Apprentices at once to learn millinery trade. Inquire Boston Millinery Store, 56 Bridge st.

WANTED—Civil service, 106 promises to be an excellent year for appointments. We prepare you at low cost for railway mail, post office clerks, carriers, and all other examinations. Salaries range from \$60 to \$200 a year. Write today for terms and full particulars. Address A. B. C. Sun Office.

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MISCELLANEOUS

EXCELLENT PASTURAGE for horses and colts with abundant supply of water and shelter with daily attendance on line of Nashua & Lowell electric railway, eight miles from Lowell. Season terms, \$15. Apply to S. A. Greeley, R. F. D. No. 3, Nashua, N. H. Telephone 553-12.

M. GOLDSTEIN & CO., 108 Chelmsford st., dealers in wall papers. Rooms papered for \$2; also whitewashing and painting. Estimates given large and small jobs. Work guaranteed. Tel. 1118-12.

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CLIPPERS sharpened, saw filing, key fitting and badges made to order at Harry Gonzales, 121 Gorham st. Tel. 522-2.

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STORAGE of all kinds, separate rooms at \$3 a month, according to size. Tel. 914. John B. Sabra, 255 Hildreth st.

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DRINK GLORIA for health; sold everywhere.

WANTED—Pick up your old gold and silver and turn it into cash. Mellen, 121 Central st., cor. Charles.

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MOTHERS—Rent's Destroyer kills lice on children, and all insects; cures dandruff and itching scalp; prevents falling hair; harmless. 25c only at Falls & Burkhenshaw, 48 Middlesex st.

LADIES—Dr. LaFranco's Compound gives positive relief; powerful combination, used by 70,000 women. Price 25c; druggists or by mail. Address LaFranco & Co., Philadelphia, Penn.

SITUATIONS WANTED

SITUATION WANTED by an experienced handmaid the three last days of the week, would work by the hour. Address Laurence, Sun Office.

SITUATION WANTED—Table, chamber or second, by neat competent girl; mountain or country preferred. Write or call, Ascension Society, 231 Gorham st.

FOUND

At 37 West Third street: Iron bed for \$1.75; iron bed, spring and mattress, \$4.25; wood bed, spring and mattress, \$2.75; bureau, no mirrors, \$1.75; \$2.00 and \$2.50; bureau with mirrors, \$4.00, \$4.50 and \$5.00; commodore, \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00, \$4.50, \$5.00, \$5.50, \$6.00, \$6.50, \$7.00, \$7.50, \$8.00, \$8.50, \$9.00, \$9.50, \$10.00. These goods look nearly as well as new. If you want something a little better we have got the goods at 356 and 358 Bridge and 37 West Third Streets.

O. F. PRENTISS

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

SPECIAL NOTICES

RHEUMATISM cured or money refunded, rocks, herbs and barks. Write A. L., Sun Office.

MRS. BOULE wishes to inform her customers that she will reopen her boarding house at 30 Cabot st., Sunday, May 3.

LAWN MOWERS sharpened up to date at Harry Gonzales, the cutter, 125 Gorham st. Tel. 522-2.

DO YOU WANT to sell your furniture? The Middlesex Furniture Co. will buy it and pay best price. Send postal or telephone 571-1. Also highest price paid for good second hand bicycles.

WONDERFUL DISCOVERY—The most wonderful discovery for the treatment of rupture known to science. Purely mechanical. Expert fitters of trusses, abdominal belts, and flat foot supports. Frye & Crawford Drug Co., 41 Merrimack st.

THE SUN IN BOSTON—The Sun is on sale every day at both news stands of the Union Station in Boston. Don't forget this when taking your train for Lowell.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Two tenement house with bath and set tubs, on Florence ave. Price \$260. Collins & Hogan, real estate and insurance, Mansur block.

FOR SALE—Two tenement house on Seventh st., 7 rooms in each tenement, with bath. Price \$260. Collins & Hogan, real estate and insurance, Mansur block.

FOR SALE—Two tenement house near Sacred Heart church. Built 2 years, hot and cold water. Price \$360. Collins & Hogan, real estate and insurance, Mansur block.

FOR SALE—Near Rock st., eight tenement block first class tenement and in first class repair inside and out, paying 13 per cent, always rented. Owner going out of town. Write Owner, Sun Office.

FOR SALE—6-room house, all modern, and stable, in the Highlands, \$340. 6-room house in Middlesex Village, \$140. 6-room house, all modern, with stable and 2000 ft. of land, \$270. 7-acre place in Chelmsford Centre, \$550. 30-acre farm with 120 apple trees, 10,000 ft. J. W. Bruce & Co., 135 Middlesex st.

FOR SALE—2-ten. house and store near West Fourth st. Set tubs, bath, hot and cold water, etc. Rents for \$32 a year. \$200. Eugene G. Russell, 497 Middlesex st., near depot.

FOR SALE—10-room house near Westford and Lane sts., bath, furnace heat, 6000 feet of land, a bargain. \$71. Middlesex st., near depot.

FOR SALE—4-ten. house near Normal school, 5 rooms in each ten. 1100 feet land. Rents for \$19 a year. \$100. Slate roof, hardwood floors. Eugene G. Russell, 497 Middlesex st., near depot.

FOR SALE—6-room house with bath, furnace heat, set tubs and laundry, prettily situated near Crescent st. \$200. Eugene G. Russell, 497 Middlesex st., near depot.

FOR SALE—Here's a most attractive house, slightly grounds, superb view and convenient location in Highlands, near Highland Club house. 8 rooms, bath, steam heat, laundry, fireplaces. Built on honor, owner must move out of town at once. Make us an offer. Eugene G. Russell, 497 Middlesex st., near depot.

FOR SALE—Nice 8-room house, hot and cold water and bath with two acres of land, 15 minutes walk from Merrimack st. Inquire of John McMenamin, 212 Merrimack st.

OF RARE MERIT

Recital of Pupils of
Miss White
HELD AT COLONIAL
HALL

Fine Program Presented
by Advanced Pupils

The annual recital of the pupils of Miss Carolyn White, the well known teacher of piano, was held in Colonial hall last evening and was one of the most charming affairs of its kind of the season. A large audience was present and the relatives and friends of the young performers were justly proud of the excellent showing made by the contributors to the highly selected program. The pupils not only demonstrated their personal accomplishments but reflected the artistic tutoring of Miss White. The program was as follows:

Overture, "Port and Peace".....Suppe
Misses Irene Hogan, Helen Hogan, Amy Lake, Margaretta Lennon.
Birding.....Grieg
Butterfly.....Grieg
To Spring.....Grieg
Miss Helen Mitchell.
La Flesse.....Raff
Miss Clara Pellegrini.
Valse des Fleurs.....Ketterer
Misses Ida Berkett, Irene Wardell.
Humoresque.....Dvorak
Valse.....Mozart
Miss Edna Bemis.
Overture, "Merry Widow".....Mozart
Misses Marie Mansur, Gladys Meloon, Corinne Bonstead, Mabel Vago.
Kamennolostrow.....Rubinstein
Miss Ethel Church.
Concerto in G Minor.....Mendelssohn
Miss Ouida Bissonette.
Accompanied on second piano by Miss White.
Valse in E.....Mozart
Miss Anna Seannell.
Dance des Elfes.....Sapientinoff
Miss Widdie.
Ruy Blas.....Mendelssohn
Misses Emma Chis-More, Lurida Conley, Marie O'Donnell, Helen Bellamy.
Each number was a gem and each was duly appreciated while the ensembles as well as the solo numbers were most artistically performed. The opening overture "Port and Peace" performed

by Misses Irene Hogan, Helen Hogan, Amy Lake and Margaretta Lennon was exquisitely done and the number made a charming selection with which to open the program.
Perhaps the hit of the program was Mendelssohn's concerto in G Major played by Miss Ouida Bissonette, one of Miss White's more advanced pupils and a performer of rare promise. Another very attractive number was that contributed by Miss Edna Bemis of Pepperell. But then all the numbers were excellent and both Miss White and the pupils deserve the highest praise for the artistic success of the affair. Misses Ruth Boulanger, Ruth Delionde and Masters Edward Murphy and Wilfred Boulanger distributed programs and Misses Dora Wolcott, Emma Claus, Ethel Kerr and Florence Knowlton acted as ushers.

PATRICK LENNOX

IS INVOLVED IN HIS SON'S DEBTS.

BOSTON, May 1.—Patrick Lennox, who came to this country a poor boy, is in his old age threatened with bankruptcy and the loss of a fortune estimated at several millions.

Mr. Lennox who is 72 years old, has been declared by a referee involved in the tangles of the firm of P. Lennox & Co. of Lynn.

Just the aged man, from a sick bed, asserts that he presented his son, James P. Lennox, with the business and the fortune, cannot be held accountable for \$200,000 debts.

To save his name from bankruptcy this old man has fought desperately for the past eight months, testifying from a sick bed in the hope of saving his personal fortune from the grasp of creditors.

Unless Judge Dodge of the United States district court sets aside the findings of William Perry, the referee in bankruptcy, Patrick Lennox will again find himself as poor as he was 70 years ago, when he came to this country a friendless immigrant boy.

"MERRY WIDOW"

NEW YORK, May 1.—Edward J. Maguire, chairman of the parade committee of the Catholic celebration which will manage the big procession of the lately up Fifth avenue tomorrow, sent out last night the tickets for those who will have grand stand seats. With each ticket there was this formal injunction:

"Ladies should wear small hats." The request was printed in large type.

Workmen have been busy all the week building a huge grand stand around the west, north and south sides of the cathedral.

DIVISION 28 A.O.H. YOUNG KENNY

Observed 24th Anniversary Last Night Fought a Draw With Johnny Dohan

The 24th anniversary of Division 28 A. O. H., was held at Hibernian hall last night. The attendance was large and the event was celebrated in an appropriate manner. President John Carter occupied the chair. Edward P. Stacey and Hugh McQuinn delivering interesting addresses. The remainder of the program was as follows: Recitation, James Connelley; song, Peter Oline; song, Patrick Kane; song, Michael Reardon; recitation, Denis Brash. Letters of regret were read from James O'Sullivan and County President Donohoe. The reports of the officers showed the division in a flourishing condition at the present time. A class initiation will be held in the near future. Honors were heard from the presidents of the other three divisions.

FOUR ROLLED

IN THE KNOCKOUT TOURNAMENT LAST NIGHT.

Four men rolled in the knockout tournament on the Bridge Street Roadway last night, Sweatt and Simpson winning. In the knockout at the Crescent alleys in Third street Ogden and Merritt won out. The scores:

BRIDGE STREET TOURNAMENT.

	1	2	3	4
Sweatt	57	58	55	50
D. Simpson	54	53	50	53
Totals	181	181	165	153
R. Simpson	57	58	55	50
H. Jones	55	56	55	50
Totals	152	164	150	150

CRESCENT KNOCKOUT.

	1	2	3	4
Shimmons	50	50	50	50
Keefe	51	52	50	51
Totals	101	102	100	101
Ogden	52	53	50	53
Merritt	51	52	50	53
Totals	103	105	100	106

PLENTY OF SNOW

FELL IN THE CITY OF BUFFALO LAST NIGHT.

BUFFALO, May 1.—Seven inches of snow fell here last night. Today opened with the sun shining brightly and the snow disappearing fast.

"SANDY" WON

HE WAS TOO MUCH FOR HARRIS.

PHILADELPHIA, May 1.—Sandy Ferguson of Boston won from Morris Harris of this city in the windup at the Broadway A. C. last night. Ferguson had something on Harris in almost every round, hitting harder and cleaner than he did. But while Sandy won by a big margin Harris was in real danger only in the third round, when he took a count of seven.

When Harris entered the ring his hands were bandaged with tape. Ferguson did not like this and he made a kick to his manager, who requested Harris to take the tape off. This Harris refused to do. Ferguson then said he would not go on unless it was taken off; either that or he would also bandage his hands. The dispute was finally settled by Sandy doing up his own hands in tape.

Ferguson dropped Harris in the first round with a hard right to the mouth, and after sparring around the ring he dropped him again. Ferguson had the best of the second and third rounds. Both men seemed to tire in the fourth, and just started around the ring, doing little damage. Harris was holding on at the end of the fourth.

Harris made a rally in the sixth round, landing Ferguson to the ropes, but the latter was game and easily his own.

IDLE WILDERS

Held Successful Sociable in Prescott Hall.

The Idle Wild campers, a well-known club of young men falling from the Acree district who own a camp on the banks of the Merrimack, held their 2d post Easter party in Prescott hall last evening and it was a grand success both socially and financially. The dancing started promptly at 8 o'clock and it was enjoyed until midnight gone through.

About four hundred took part in the dancing music being furnished by Kitteredge's singing orchestra. The success of the affair was partly due to

the untiring work of General Manager Patrick A. Holton. Matthew J. Gill acted as his assistant. Frederick C. Bani was the floor director. Patrick J. Shanahan was the assistant floor director. Joseph A. Malone was the chief aid and he had as his assistants the following young people:

Miss Edna Gilligan, May McFass, Miss Henry, Thelma, Edna, Miss Timothy O'Neil, May Gill, Joseph Fox, Miss John Morris, Edward Holland, Miss Shanahan, Nellie Hurley, James Brown, Eva Wedge, Walter Tucker, Ella Cox, Frank Collins, John Callahan, Lucetta Corbin, Nora Young, Robert Carr, Joseph Carr, Nellie Corbin, Thomas Tobin, Adelaide Tobin, Sophia Tobin, Miss McQuinn, Sadie Rowe, Miss Spring, Miss Mary, Miss M. V.

A reception committee, Walter Shanahan, Ruby Collins, Peter Miller, Edward Sullivan, Frank White, Margaret Healey, Misses, Gertrude, Harlow.

DANGEROUS MEN

Arrested by the Paris Police

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A. G. POLLARD CO.

Lowell, Friday, May 1, 1908.

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This great suit event is the result of the closing of the suit season by several makers. Their stocks of foreign worsteds, fine serges and mixtures being reduced to one or two suits of a pattern, they are willing to take great losses for the sake of an absolute clearance.

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Spring Weight Underwear, special fine jersey ribbed, medium weight, full finished, all sizes: shirts 34 to 38; drawers 30 to 48. This lot subject to slight imperfections. Regular price \$1.00. 75c per garment

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Shirts for large men. New patterns in madras and Matopola cloth, made extra large in body, sleeve and length. No extra charge for the size. 50c and \$1.00

Our line of Negligee Shirts for spring is full of good things—just in. Fit, fabric and finish the best to be had at the prices. Have a look before buying. 50c, \$1.00, \$1.50 and \$2.00

Night Shirts and Pajamas. New lines just in. Made up in best manner, quality always the best. Night Shirts...39c to \$1.00

Pajamas...\$1.00 to \$3.00

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Special Tea and Coffee

FOR 75c—5 lbs. Sugar
1 lb. Coffee
1 lb. Tea
1 box Cocoa
1 can Milk
Try JELL-O. We've a notable gain.
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SPECIAL NOTICE

We've just purchased a Shoe Stock—that of C. M. Jesselyn of Roxbury. It includes Men's, Women's, and Children's Footwear in medium and low priced grades. We'll offer some unusual values in a few days.

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Of Unusual Interest For the First Shopping Days of May

SALE OF HIGH GRADE BED SPREADS. Satin finish and Marcellite. 200 high grade Bed Spreads, slightly imperfect in the mill. Best quality of Marcellite and satin finish in very handsome designs. Spreads worth \$3 to \$5 each. Damage is very small and will not impair the wear. Our price to close this small lot.....\$1.59 Each

20 pieces of fine Bleached Linen Damask, wide, in very nice patterns, good heavy quality, 50c value, at 42c Yard

Fine Mercerized Damask, in wide, very nice soft quality, 50c value at 39c Yard

One case of best quality of Diaper Cloth, remnants, all widths, 15 to 25 inches, only.....5c Yard

Special value in Black Mercerized Satin, 36 inches wide, nice silky finish, 25c value at 15c Yard

10 pieces of 30 inches wide Black Mercer for undershirts, 15c value at 10c Yard

Extra good value in Summer Comforters at \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50

Light Weight Bed Blanket, 11-4 size, just the kind for summer camp, only.....79c Pair

Best quality of Bates' Gingham in all new patterns, stripes, checks and plain.....12c Yard

Yard wide Manchester Percale remnants in light colors only, very nice patterns for shirt waist suits, dresses and waists, 15c value at 11c Yard

New lot of White Goods, checks and stripes in remnants, 12c value at 8c Yard

Case of good Bleached Cotton, yard wide, nice soft finish, 10c value at 7c Yard

Remnants of Linene Suiting, nice substitute for linen, will wash well, 12c value.....6c Yard

Linene Suiting, white and colors, just the kind used for summer dresses and suits, 15c value, at 8c Yard

Some good values in Dress Goods, Cashmere, Poplin, Mohair, and all wool dress goods at 25c, 29c and 39c Yard

Ladies' Cotton Hose, black, printed, plain black, brown, plain and lace effect, 12c value, 9c Pair, 3 Pairs 25c

Ladies' Hose, plain black list finish, plain brown and lace black, extra size, black embroidered and black with white feet, 15c value at 12c Pair

Ladies' Black Cotton Hose, seconds of the 10c quality, 7c Pair, 4 Pairs for 25c

Children's Fine Ribbed Hose, black and tan, double heel, best value at.....12c Pair

Children's Ribbed Hose, seconds of the 12c quality, 9c Pair, 3 Pairs for 25c

Infants' Hose, cotton and worsted, silk heel and toe, 10c value 12c Pair

Ladies' Jersey Shaped Vests, high and low neck, short sleeves; also straight vest, sleeveless and short sleeves, 15c value.....12c Each

Ladies' Shaped Vests, jersey, regular and extra size, high and low neck, long and short sleeves, 25c value.....19c

Ladies' Jersey Umbrella Pants, fine quality, lace trimmed, 25c value at.....19c

Ladies' Balbriggan Vests, white and extra, short and long sleeves, 25c value at.....19c

Children's Jersey Vests and Pants, vest low and high neck, short sleeves and sleeveless; lace trimmed pairs; 15c value at.....10c

Men's Cotton Tan Hose, only 5c Pair

Men's Tan Hose, full seamless, 12c quality.....10c Pair

Men's Black Cotton Hose, light and heavy weight, seconds of 12c quality.....9c Pair, 3 for 25c

Men's Fancy Hose, black, tan and gray, stripes and embroidered, 10c value at.....12c Pair

Men's Jersey Ribbed Underwear, extra and blue, double seated drawers.....25c

Men's Jersey Underwear, extra, brown and blue, seconds of the 50c quality, only.....39c Each

Men's Balbriggan Underwear, 50c value at.....45c

Very good value in Men's and Boys' Negligee Shirts, made of woven madras, only.....33c Each

1 lot of Boys' Shirts, made of good printed cheviot, 33c value at.....25c

Some extra good values in Wash Suits, all new goods of the season, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$2.00

At 25c we offer the best value in Boys' Blouses made, corded madras, gingham and black satin, only 25c Each

Boys' Knee Pants, cheviot, all wool, good worsted and corduroy, made with tape seams and strong, 50c Pair

Boys' Suits at low prices: 19c value at 10c; 25c value at 15c; 39c value at 25c.

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The Crawford has more improvements than all other ranges combined: Single Damper (patented); Patented Dock-Ash Grates; Cup-Joint Oven Flues; Asbestos-Back Oven; Reliable Oven Indicator.

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Either long or short sleeves, warranted to suit any fancy. Regular \$1.25 69c

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And Sea Island Cotton Underwear. Shirts made long and short sleeves. Drawers regular and stout. Colors ecru, black or gray 48c

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Underwear, finished with silk stitching and pearl buttons. Drawers double seated, in regular and stout sizes 38c

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TRAINS TO AND FROM BOSTON

SOUTHERN DIV.				WESTERN DIV.			
To Boston	From Boston	To Boston	From Boston	To Boston	From Boston	To Boston	From Boston
7:00 A.M.	7:00 A.M.	7:00 A.M.	7:00 A.M.	7:00 A.M.	7:00 A.M.	7:00 A.M.	7:00 A.M.
7:15 A.M.	7:15 A.M.	7:15 A.M.	7:15 A.M.	7:15 A.M.	7:15 A.M.	7:15 A.M.	7:15 A.M.
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LOCAL NEWS

Commercial Printing, Tobin's Printery.
Interest begins Saturday, May 2, at The Central Savings bank.

The next quarter of the Merrimack River Savings bank, 417 Middlesex street, begins Saturday, May 2d.

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DEATHS

CAMPBELL—The many friends of David Campbell will be pained to hear of his death, which occurred yesterday afternoon at his residence, 14 Weed street. Deceased was 29 years of age, and is survived by his mother, Jean Campbell; wife, Jessie A. Campbell; five sisters, Mrs. Margaret Oliphant of Chicago, Ill., Miss Agnes Johnson of Lowell, Mrs. Elizabeth Lee of Lowell, Mrs. Annie Woodman of Byfield, Mass., and Miss Ruth Campbell of Lowell; also four brothers, J. Ralph, of Springfield, Mass., and William, Frank and Alfred, of this city. Funeral notice later.

DINLEY—Hugh Dinley, an old resident of Dracut, died at the Lowell General hospital, last night. The body was removed to the rooms of Undertakers Molloy & Sons. Deceased leaves three sons, Frank and Michael Dinley of Dracut, and James, a member of the heavy artillery, located at Fort Slocum, N. Y., and a daughter-in-law, Mrs. Thomas Dinley.

McTEAGUE—Michael McTeague, aged 69, an old resident of North Chelmsford, died last night at his residence. Deceased leaves his wife, four sons, John M., Thomas F., James W., and Joseph B., and three daughters, Mrs. Henry O. Minard, Mrs. Catherine Croft of Butte, Montana, and Miss Rosa A. McTeague. Funeral notice later.

FARROW—Joseph E. Farrow, aged 35 years, died at the home of his sister, Mrs. Frank Ingalls, on the Groton road, North Chelmsford, yesterday.

McPHAIL—Dugald MacPhail died yesterday at his home, 212 Mt. Hope street, aged 37 years and 9 months. He is survived by a widow, one son and one daughter.

DEMONTE—Mrs. Olivia Demont, aged 39 years, 6 months, 14 days, wife of David Demont, died this morning at her home, 175 Smith street. Besides her husband she is survived by three brothers, Senias Drury of Boston, George Drury of Lynn and Arthur Drury of Boston.

FUNERAL NOTICES

McTEAGUE—The funeral of Michael McTeague will take place at 5 o'clock Saturday morning from his late residence in North Chelmsford. Mass of requiem at St. John's church at 9 o'clock. C. H. Molloy & Sons, undertakers.

DINLEY—The funeral of Hugh Dinley will take place at 5 o'clock Saturday morning from the funeral parlors of C. H. Molloy & Sons. Mass of requiem at the Sacred Heart church at 9 o'clock. C. H. Molloy & Sons, undertakers.

CAMPBELL—The funeral of David Campbell will take place at 5 o'clock Sunday afternoon from his late home, 14 Weed street. Friends invited. J. A. Weinbeck, undertaker.

SMITH—The funeral of Mrs. Catherine Smith will take place at 5 o'clock Saturday morning from the home of her daughter, Mrs. Thomas Welch, 95 Fletcher street. Mass of requiem at St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock. J. F. O'Donnell & Sons, undertakers.

DEMONTE—The funeral of Mrs. Olivia Demont will take place at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon from her late residence, 175 Smith street. Friends invited, but requested not to send flowers. J. A. Weinbeck, undertaker.

CUSHMAN—Died, in Greenville, N. H., Thursday, April 24, Mrs. William Cushman. Funeral services will be held Saturday afternoon in the Episcopal cemetery chapel at 2 o'clock. Friends respectfully invited. Horace Eila company, undertakers, in charge.

LOWELL OPERA HOUSE

Few authors of musical plays have excelled the achievements of Love Stoddard, Schindler and Jerome, the authors of that poignant musical mixture, "Isle of Spice" which B. C. Whitney's company will present to the patrons of the Opera House tonight.

The present edition of this gloom dispelling extravaganza is reported to be replete with new scenery, new costumes, a new electrical effects, and all the striking features of former years which have made this play the most successful musical production of its time. That deliciously droll comedian, Charles A. Pusey, impersonates the leading comedy role of "King Bompope." In the supporting company are Bert Walnwright, Frank Wood, Jack Leslie, E. K. Armstrong, Rose Chalmers, Louise Gould, Minerva Chalmers, Belle Taylor, Margaret Woods and a chorus of fifty.

"BREWSTER'S MILLIONS."

Probably no book dramatization of recent years has enjoyed the popularity that has attended "Brewster's Millions," George Barr McCutcheon's remarkable tale which comes to the Opera House for three days commencing Monday direct from its four months' run at the Colonial theatre, Chicago, and with the same company that as-

isted in winning it fame and success during its run of upwards of a year in New York. The company is headed by Edward Abeles in the stellar role of "Monty" Brewster and Miss Mary Ryan as Margaret Grey.

The story of the play tells how Montgomery Brewster, inheriting a million dollars from his grandfather, while given a house-warming and surprise party by his friends, who show their congratulations upon him, is informed by a solicitor that his mother, his father, who has just died, has left him a fortune of \$7,000,000 on condition that he shall spend the first million within a year, the reason for the stipulation being that the young man's mother had been left in want by the grandfather, and the uncle does not wish her son to enjoy an inheritance derived from that source. The conditions are that he shall not give the million dollars away—that would be too simple—yet he is not to be mean, he must spend it in some legitimate way, by investing it in some business, or using it for his enjoyment and that of his friends. Above all, he must not disclose his purpose. He accepts the conditions, and his effort to make himself penniless in so short a time, makes up the fun that follows.

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